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MADE EVEN SPLIT

NORMALS WON AT BLANCHARD BUT LOST TO TARKIO.

WILSON FANNED FIFTEEN

The Jew Was in Great Form and Allowed But Two Safe Bingles, and Only Thirty Men Faced Him.

When a manager of a "big" league base ball game breaks even on the road he figures that he is getting off pretty lucky. That's just what Coach Moore and his Normal base ball squad did in their two days' trip Friday and Saturday. They won a game and dropped one, beside participating in an aviation meet near College Springs, Ia.

With Fred Vandersloot on the mound the teachers lost a hard luck game to Tarkio college Friday afternoon by a 6 to 5 count. The score was tied in the eighth inning at 5 all, but the collegians scored the winning run in the last of the ninth. Tarkio's hits off Vandersloot totaled ten, but Van kept them pretty well scattered, and errors were responsible for four of the collegians' runs. The locals laced out eight safe bingles. For the Normal,the catching of Captain McKee and the fielding and stick work of Taylor and McGrew were the star stunts.

Coach Moore lined his men up as follows:

McKee (captain), catcher; Vandersloot, pitcher; Wilson, shortstop; Breit, first base; Miller, second base; McGrew, third base; Simpson, left field; Taylor, center field; Richardson, right field.

From Tarkio the team went to Blanchard, Ia., from which place they embarked for College Springs via the H. C. L. (handcar limited), where they were scheduled to tangle with the Amity college ball tossers on Saturday. Now right here was where the "aviation meet" came in. As the men were nearing College Springs the rear Pullman (that is, the hand car in the rear) left the rails very suddenly and deposited its cargo in about fourteen different directions in mid-air. That the boys were not badly injured was a miracle, but they all escaped with a few slight scratches. But that little episode didn't hinder "our boys" from trouncing the Amity hopefuls to the tune of 6 to 1. About 99¾ per cent of the credit for copping this game must be given to Dr. "Shylock" Wilson, who dished out the pills to the enemy. In the course of the game but thirty men faced the Jew, and after the first inning but one of the foe reached first base, and that was by the free transportation route. The Jew allowed but two safe wallops and they were both bunched in the initial round, scoring Amity's only run of the battle. He caused fifteen men to lay down the club, and the pedagogues gave him brilliant support. But one goble was made, and that was a low peg to first by McGrew after Mac had made a circus stop of a liner.

Captain McKee caught another stellar game and contributed to the score with two healthy doubles. Miller and Bright also twinkled in the field. Kirby Taylor, the Normal's "giant" center gardener, stole home in the fifth after having been caught off third on a hit and run play. The Normal's line-up was the same as at Tarkio, except that Vandersloot and Wilson "swapped" positions.

In speaking of the games Monday morning, Coach Moore said he had very little kick coming on the performance of his men in the two games last week, except in the base running. According to the coach they pulled off several boneheads on the bases, and this week will find the boys trying to remedy that weakness in preparation for the game Saturday with Conception college at Conception.

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DEATH OF MRS. LOUIS ROMASSER.

Passed Away Sunday Noon at St. Francis Hospital—Funeral Services Tuesday at 9:30 A. M.

Mrs. Louis Romasser died Sunday noon at 12:45 o'clock at St. Francis hospital, with her husband and children at her bedside. The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic church Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, by the assistant pastor, Rev. Fr. Willebroad, in the absence of Rev. Fr. Anselm.

Mrs. Romasser was 78 years old at the time of her death. Mr. and Mrs. Romasser came to Maryville to make their home in 1868, and have lived here constantly since, and have been members of St. Mary's parish all that time. Mrs. Romasser is survived by her husband and five children, who are: Mr. Augustus Romasser of Maryville, Mrs. J. P. Cummings of Ottumwa, Ia.; Mrs. Letcher Roberts of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Misses Dora and Philomene Romasser of Kansas City.

Mr. J. P. Cummings and daughter, Miss Helen, arrived in Maryville Monday morning for the funeral.

MARTIN GETS LARGE FEE.

Wins Noted Iowa Case and the Fee is to Be $20,000.

B. R. Martin of St. Joseph was in Maryville Monday on business. He was on his way to St. Joseph, having been at Creston the past week, where he was attorney in a will contest suit. The jury returned a verdict Saturday at Creston, breaking the will of Robert Madden, and Mr. Martin won a $20,000 fee, one of the largest ever paid in an Iowa case.

The Madden will case attracted a great deal of attention. Robert Madden at his death last fall left property worth $300,000 to three of his children, practically disinheriting Grace and Charles Madden, his other son and daughter. Madden was one of the wealthiest men in Southern Iowa, and the will case was the largest ever tried in an Iowa court. Martin spoke for five hours in presenting his case to the jury.

NORMAL QUARTET RETURNED

From a Week's Concert Tour in Barnard and in Illinois.

The Normal Male Quartet returned Monday morning from a week's concert trip in Illinois. The men gave concerts at McFall, Mo.; Virden, Carlinsville, Jerseyville and Palmyra, Ill. They were well received in every town and were invited to return next year.

The quartet, assisted by Mrs. F. P. Robinson, soprano, will give a concert in the auditorium of the Maryville high school on next Friday night for the benefit of the senior class of the high school.

THE JAIL IS A CLEAN PLACE.

So Says a Member of the State Board of Charities Who Was Here Monday.

Mrs. Caroline Forrester, a member of the state board of charities and correction, was in Maryville Monday and inspected the county jail. She says the jail is kept in clean shape and that the sanitary conditions are good.

COURT ON THURSDAY.

An Adjourned Session When Growney vs. O'Donnell to Set Aside a Deed Will Come Up.

Circuit court will be in session on Thursday, with Judge J. Woodson Peery of Albany on the bench in the case of Elizabeth Growney vs. Patrick J. and Joseph J. O'Donnell, to set aside a deed.

Left for California.

Mrs. U. I. Wilson of this city and her father, C. H. Eaton of Barnard, left for Los Angeles, Cal., Monday morning, and will spend several months in the Pacific coast country for the benefit of Mrs. Wilson's health. Mrs. Wilson's daughter, Miss Ethel, accompanied her as far as Barnard and will remain with her aunt, Miss Emma Eaton, until her mother's return.

Mrs. Howard Clarkson and two children of Macon, Mo., are in Maryville on a visit to her uncles, G. B. and O. L. Holmes, and their families. Mrs. Clarkson will be better remembered in Maryville as Miss Ethleene Schaff.

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FORD TO MAKE ADDRESS

Regular Decoration Day Services in Court House Yard. With a Declamatory Contest for Prizes.

Arrangements are being made for the decoration exercises to be held in Maryville on May 30, by the G. A. R. and W. R. C. At a meeting held Saturday it was decided that on Sunday afternoon, May 26, Rev Lee Harrel of the Baptist church should give the decoration sermon at the Presbyterian church.

Then on May 30 the address will be given by Dr. J. S. Ford of the Methodist church in the court house yard if the weather is favorable. The regular exercises will take place in the Christian church on that day.

The committee in charge are expecting to have a declamatory contest on that day, when the contestants will declaim "Sheridan's Ride." The contest is open to the five Protestant Sunday schools of the city, and only one representative from each. Prizes will be given so each one will receive one.

The first prize will be $5, the second $4, the third $3, the fourth $2, and the fifth $1.

COMMENCEMENT AT GRAHAM.

Program to Be Given May 1st—A Good Stock Sale at Pickering.

The rural commencement of Hughes township will be held in the M. E. church at Graham on May 1. The following is the program:

March—Cora Miller.
Invocation—Rev. Nichols.
Instrumental solo—Lucile Snowberger.
Recitation—Hayzlett school.
Quartet.
Recitation—East Star school.
Vocal solo—Morgan school.
Instrumental solo—Edith Hayworth.
Address—Dr. H. K. Taylor.
Address—County Superintendent of Schools Oakerson.

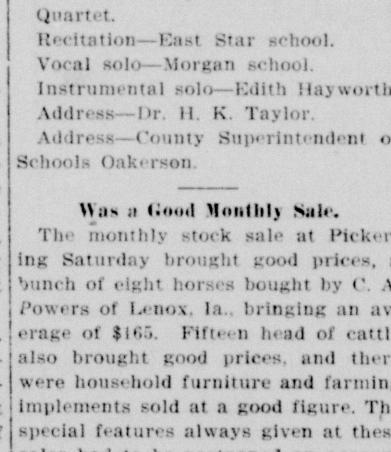
Was a Good Monthly Sale.

The monthly stock sale at Pickering Saturday brought good prices, a bunch of eight horses bought by C. A. Powers of Lenox, Ia., bringing an average of $165. Fifteen head of cattle also brought good prices, and there were household furniture and farming implements sold at a good figure. The special features always given at these sales had to be postponed on account of the heavy rain that fell at noon and kept many away.

A large maple tree that stood in front of the hotel was blown down during a short bluster of wind, demolishing a wagon seat. The horses attached to these vehicles were tangled in the branches of the tree, and it took some little work on the part of the men at the sale to extricate them.

Judge Campbell Very Low.

Judge James H. Campbell, a former member of the Nodaway county court, is lying very ill at the home of his son, Lowell B. Campbell, in



JUDGE J. H. CAMPBELL

Barnard. He has only been confined to his bed a week. His affliction is lung trouble, from which he has suffered for a year, with serious dropsical complications that have lately arisen.

A Large Number Took Examination.

The rural examinations held in the various townships over the county on Friday and Saturday were written by 300 pupils, the largest number that has so far taken the examination. Jefferson township decided to hold their rural commencement exercises on May 20, White Cloud township at Salem church on May 4.

175 ENTRIES FROM 21

ENROLLMENT FOR TRACK MEET MUCH LARGER THAN EVER.

INTEREST WIDE SPREAD

Twenty-One High Schools From Over the Normal District Will Have Contestants in Big Meet.

The entries for the oratorical contest and track meet in Maryville on Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, under the auspices of the Normal, closed Saturday night. There are twenty-one high schools that have entries for the contest and meet.

There are 175 persons entered for the track meet, 125 of these being from fourteen high schools. The meet will be twice as big as it was last year, and great interest is being taken among the various high schools entered for first place.

The following is a list of the high schools entered for the contest and the meet:

Maryville, Savannah, Rosendale, St. Joseph Central, Platte City, Stanberry, Chillicothe, Trenton, Princeton, Gilman City, Grant City, Bethany, Tarkio, Westboro, Hopkins, Pickering, Benton of St. Joseph, Plattsburg, Albany, Braymer and Ridgeway.

VEST GETS TEN YEARS.

Jury Returned Verdict in Murder Case at Oregon Saturday Night.

After being out from 5 until a little after 9 o'clock at night Saturday night at Oregon, the jury in the case of Frank Vest, charged with the murder of Guy Stanley, returned to verdict of murder in the second degree, and placed the punishment at ten years in the penitentiary.

Stanley was killed December 3 last at the Vest farm, about four miles west of Bigelow. Vest had been away from home and when he returned he said his wife was crying, and when he asked the cause she declared that Stanley had attempted to assault her. Vest said he went to Stanley's room and shot him. The state tried to prove that Vest knew of the alleged insults some time before he shot Stanley. The latter worked for Vest, and Vest said they were good friends.

A motion for a new trial was made, and pending the motion Vest was released under $8,000 bond, furnished by relatives of his wife.

The case was tried before Judge W. C. Ellison. Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison of this city were the attorneys for the defendant.

Returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. Joseph T. Shipps, who has been here the past month visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle of this city and her sister, Mrs. Charles Shipps of Arkoe, and Mr. Shipps' relatives, south of Maryville, left for her home, near Ottawa, Kan., Monday morning. She left her daughter and six sons in charge of her sister, Mrs. Shipps of Arkoe, until their new residence is finished. Mrs. Shipps and her family were forced to come to Maryville when they did by the burning of their farm residence with all its contents. She found her mother, Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle, very ill on her arrival, and for several days her life was despaired of. She is improving now, however, and is able to sit up awhile each day.

Have Illinois Guests.

Miss Ada Gingrich, living northwest of the city, was in the city Monday to meet her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Sample of Monmouth, Ill., who will visit at her home. The visitors stopped in Maryville on their way home from a winter's stay in Los Angeles and other California points.

Good Rain at Hopkins.

Saturday noon a splendid good rain fell in Hopkins and vicinity and the farmers around there are in a O. B. Joyful mood. The ground can stand lots of wetness on account of last year's drouth.

Mrs. Dr. Gaugh and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Walker of Burlington Junction, visited in the city Monday with their son and brother Charles Gaugh.

Mrs. Mary Kimple and daughter, Miss Anna Kimper of Bolckow were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

Miss Jennie Vardie went to Stanberry Monday for a several days' stay on business.

CLARK'S CAMPAIGN FUND.

A Number Contributed to the Fund Today—All Democrats Should Give a Dollar or So.

A number of Democrats contributed today to the Champ Clark campaign fund, which The Democrat-Forum started Saturday. These subscriptions will be sent in to the St. Louis Republic, who in turn will send them to Ex-Governor Lon V. Stephens, treasurer of the fund.

That good old Democrat P. J. Hainey of Barnard, sent his personal check for $2.50 Monday and said: "I think it is a good plan and right, and I hope it will be a success. I think publication of names and donors a good idea, for the reason that it may induce others to contribute to the fund. If others will contribute according to my check for $2.50, it will aggregate quite a sum."

Every Democrat in the county should donate a dollar or so to the fund, as it is very much needed at this time in Clark's campaign for the presidency.

The list of the contributors to the fund follows:

The Democrat-Forum	$10.00
P. J. Hainey, Barnard	2.50
James B. Robinson	1.00
N. E. DeMotte	1.00
Mayor Arthur Robey	1.00
Frank Owens	1.00

WHO'S THE POLICE JUDGE.

Vexed Question Seems to Be Still Far From a Settlement.

The question of who is police judge of the city was again up Monday, and is still not decided.

The question came up when Chief of Police Elmer Moberly arrested Ben Wright for drunkenness on Saturday night. 'Squire W. L. Johnson, who has been police judge, refused to try the case, and so did Mayor Arthur Robey. Of course, 'Squire J. W. Morris could not try the case, as he is not qualified as police judge at this time.

So Mayor Robey and 'Squire Johnson sent for the city attorney, W. A. Blagg, to get his opinion on the matter. Mr. Blagg was out of the city and will not return before this evening. The matter will then be taken up and a legal decision as to who should try the cases will be given.

Many of the attorneys are of the opinion that the city council should issue a commission to 'Squire J. W. Morris, as he was duly elected police judge. Still others are expressing themselves that if the ordinance was void abolishing the office of police judge, and since the city did not make a call for the election of a police judge, that 'Squire W. L. Johnson should hold over.

Attorney F. P. Robinson, attorney for 'Squire Morris, says that the matter will be taken up to the court, as he is of the opinion that Morris is duly entitled to the commission as police judge.

Will Probated.

The will of Ferdinand Schenkel, who died at St. James, Mo., last week, was filed in probate court late Saturday afternoon. The will was written on October 7, 1909, and was witnessed by Aaron Felix and Nick Sturm. By the terms of the will the executor is ordered to sell all real and personal property, and residue of the estate to be divided among the wife and children, the wife to receive one-half of the estate and the children, Ernest, John F. and Leo Schenkel, Amelia Putnam, Elvira Busby and Mary Patton, one-twelfth each. Ernest Schenkel was named as executor.

Married by Judge Morris.

A marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon by Recorder Wray to John T. Cummings and Miss Willie Crow of Stanberry. They were married Sunday evening by 'Squire J. W. Morris.

Will Sing in Meetings.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon went to Weston, Mo., Saturday evening to sing in evangelistic services that will begin there Sunday at the M. E. church, South.

Harmon Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. Litch and Mrs. Groves, all of Hopkins were city visitors Monday.

FOR CHILD WELFARE

DISCUSSIONS FROM VARIOUS ANGLES BY MOTHERS' CIRCLE.

OPEN SESSION TUESDAY

"Why a Mothers' Circle," "The Father's Responsibility," "Juvenile Laws" and "Athletics" Topics.

The program for the open session of the Mothers' Circle to be given Tuesday night in the high school auditorium at 7:45 o'clock, is completed and is as follows:

Maryville orchestra.
Singing of "America."
Devotional services, led by Rev. S. D. Harkness.
"Why a Mother's Circle in Maryville?" by the president, Mrs. Eugene Ogden.
Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Address, "The Father's Responsibilities to the Home and Children," Dean G. H. Colbert.
Maryville orchestra.
"Juvenile Laws," Prosecuting Attorney G. P. Wright.
Discussion, led by Dr. A. T. Fisher.
Solo, Miss Lillian Lindholm.
"Athletics and Equipment," Superintendent C. A. Hawkins.
Discussion, led by W. A. Blagg.
Maryville orchestra.

FEBRUARY REPORT

Of Births and Deaths in Nodaway County as Filed With the State Board.

The report of deaths and births of this county for February as filed with the state bureau of vital statistics shows that there were 43 births and 29 deaths. Of the births, 24 were male and 19 female, and of the deaths 17 were male and 12 female.

The report shows there were 6,275 births in Missouri in February and 4,062 deaths. The birth rate was nineteen to the thousand population, while the death rate was only 12.3 a thousand.

The statistics show that ninety more negroes died in February than were born, although the complete list of births may not have been forwarded.

This adds strength to the belief that the negroes of Missouri are decreasing steadily and that this has been going on for the last decade. William P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, in his annual report comments on the fact that the number of negro children of school age has been decreasing in the last ten years.

Tuberculosis shows a heavier mortality among negroes than whites. Of all deaths which occurred among them **12.21 per cent were from tuberculosis,** while the average for the state for this disease is but 10.68 per cent.

Left for Their Homes.

Mrs. Amelia Putnam and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Steers, of St. Louis; Messrs. O. E. Patton and Leo Schenkel of Chicago and E. W. Schenkel of Louisiana, Mo., who were called to the city Thursday to attend the funeral services of their father, Ferdinand Schenkel, who died Tuesday night, left for their homes Saturday evening. Mrs. Patton and her little daughter of Chicago remained for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Elihu Busby.

Visited Her Father.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and daughter drove to Barnard Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Beech's father, who left Monday on a pleasure trip to Los Angeles and other California points.

Teddy's "Big Stick."

Teddy's "big stick" is on display at the Orear-Henry drug store and is attracting a great deal of attention. The stick is about six feet tall, and at the bottom of it is a placard, stating that the stick is from Africa.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday; probably frost tonight.

"The Woven Web"

Tuesday Evening, April 16th, at 8:30 o'clock

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Announcement.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket, subject to the primary election in August.

SAMUEL H. WILLIAMS.

Lieber Holmes Not Injured.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes of this city received a letter Sunday evening from their son, Lieber Holmes, who is a student of the horological department of Bradley's academy at Peoria, Ill., stating they need have no fears concerning him in regard to the catastrophe that befell 125 young men and young women of that school who visited the distillery at Peoria Saturday afternoon to watch the manufacturing process of that institution.

The second floor of the building gave way while they were there and not one in the entire company escaped without injury, nearly all sustaining broken bones, and one girl is thought to be fatally injured. The water pipes also burst with the caving in of the floor and many barely escaped drowning.

Mr. Holmes and a fellow student have a small jewelry shop downtown, and the fact that they were busy with their work accounts for their safety.

The talk of the town—the silent running Jackson automobile just received at Barmann & Wolfert's.

Here From Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. Michau, who has been visiting her, arrived in the city Monday noon. Mrs. Shoemaker will visit her relatives in this city for several weeks.

Gave Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Ben King gave a dinner Sunday to observe the fifty-first birthday anniversary of Mr. King at their home north of the city. Those present were their daughters, Misses Ora, Ola, Flora and Helen King, and Mrs. and Mrs. S. T. Gile and family of this city.

Were Given Flowers.

At the chapel hour this morning at the Normal, President Taylor "handed bouquets" to the school base ball team and the male quartet, both of which returned from a tour recently. And the doctor really did hand them bouquets, too, for each organization was presented with a dozen beautiful carnations.

Harry Scott is Quite Sick.

Harry Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott of South Depot street, is quite sick of rheumatism and pneumonia.

Mrs. J. W. Toel went to St. Joseph Monday morning to spend the day.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting Tuesday.

The M. I. Circle will hold its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Emma Shroyer.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Albert Forcade, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Angell and family, and Dale and Ben Dorman.

Will Be "May Day" Wedding.

The wedding bans of Miss Emma Irene Lavelle and Mr. Thomas James Brady were published at St. Patrick's Catholic church Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Niemann. The ceremony will take place Tuesday morning, May 1, at 8 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Club.

A called meeting of the Twentieth Century club will be held Tuesday afternoon, April 16, at 2:30 o'clock, at the Elks club. This is to be a meeting for the general election of officers, and the separation of the club into the various departments and the organization of the new art department.

Met With Mrs. Denham.

The P. E. O. chapter held its regular study meeting with Mrs. J. C. Denham Saturday afternoon. Australia was the subject. Mrs. O. C. Hanna read a paper on the country, its climate, people, flowers, vegetation, birds and animals, and Mrs. Denham told of its engagement and marriage customs and laws. After the program the next year's course of study was talked of, and Miss Mae Corwin sang two solos, "Spring Flowers," by Wheeler, and "A Rose Garden," by Clark. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. C. Corwin in two weeks and will be an evening meeting, on account of the track meet that will be in progress at that time.

Surprised Mrs. Culbertson.

Mrs. A. M. Culbertson, who left Monday morning for her new home at Long Beech, Cal., was given a happy surprise at the home of Mrs. M. H. Borrusch Friday afternoon by the ladies of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church, of which she has been a faithful member for several years. Mrs. Borrusch had invited Mrs. Culbertson to her home to visit until Saturday, and when she arrived in company with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Jones, living northwest of the city, she thought she had made a mistake about the time of the regular monthly meeting of the society, and had come in time for the session, not knowing they had gathered to do her honor. There were twenty-eight members present. The society presented Mrs. Culbertson a solid silver fork as a token of remembrance, Mrs. Anderson Craig making the presentation speech, which was followed by an expression from every one present, regretful at her departure, but wishing her well in her new home, where there is perpetual sunshine and flowers.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—21,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—37,000. Market slow; top, $7.97. Estimate tomorrow, 14,000.

Sheep—25,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,500. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—6,500. Market strong; top, $7.90.

Sheep—11,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,800. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—4,000. Market strong; top, $7.90.

Sheep—2,700. Market steady.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our kind neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our husband and father. We wish also to thank our friends for their beautiful floral remembrances.

MRS. M. A. LAMBERT.
MRS. S. J. PINNELL.
MRS. CHAS. M'NEAL.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John F. Roelofson, public administrator, in charge of the estate of E. E. Bowers, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such public administrator, at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

JOHN F. ROELOFSON
Public Administrator.

"IS THERE A PERSNAL DEVIL?"

Rev. Claude John Miller Takes Rather Remarkable Subject for a Lecture Sermon.

A good-sized audience gathered Sunday evening at the First Christian church and listened with interest to the subject—a peculiar one—a lecture-sermon by the pastor, Rev. Claude John Miller, "Is There a Personal Devil?"

Text—Peter 5:8: "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour."

The Rev. Mr. Miller said in part:

"Is there a personal devil? It is the problem of the hour.

"The man who has not examined the Bible thoroughly is in doubt about a personal devil roving the earth.

"The Master once said to the scribes and Pharisees: 'How can ye escape the damnation of hell?'

"It would have been a great privilege to travel in company with Paul. He was educated, a scholar of his day. 'Tis possible he touched upon the subject I am discussing this evening.

"We see sorrow written here, there and everywhere. Who is the author of all this? It is the devil stalking the earth.

"Edward Scribner Raines of Chicago and others of skeptical turn of mind say the devil is only an evil force. Investigation into their beliefs reveals the fact their point is only evil force.

"Can a mere evil force perform all the things of sorrow? No. It is a personal evil spirit.

"Could an evil force ever have tempted the Savior?

"Men have counterfeited only that which is divine and good. Usurpation and plagiarism is an inheritance of some men to meet their own ends.

"The devil is certainly not a myth. He was certainly a reality in the days of old as he is at this hour.

"The work of the infidel is a tendency toward the destruction and breaking down of Christianity. They are simply wolves in sheep's clothing. They pose in the name of scholarship; they are far from it when they undertake to dispute the Bible.

"The leaders of the new though are never understood. They are more often misunderstood.

"Read your Bible and you will find twenty writers who refer to the devil as an evil personality.

"The devil was once an angel of light, but was cast down to earth after the war in heaven. So satan was once an angel in heaven, and by his own acts he made himself a devil and was cast out.

"Some ask the question: 'If God is God, why doesn't he kill the devil?' He can't work against your will. You must give up your evil ways, turn to the Master and the devil will forsake you.

"There are sixteen titles given to the devil in the Bible. He, indeed, has more titles than all the schools and colleges have conferred upon men.

"The devil is as much a personality as any man who walks the earth. Perhaps he works by hypnotism. In hypnotism the mind works at the suggestion of another. Free will has lost its controlling energy and the agent of another mind. We know something about how mind acts on matter, but we know next to nothing about the relation of spirits to and their influence on the material world.

"This is a spiritual world. Though not a spiritualist from the 'ism' generally accepted by some, I believe the spirits are all about us. Evil spirits are about us at all times. When you think the devil is asleep, he is wide awake.

"Safety in companionship with Jesus will be your reward if you will but turn to him. He withstood the devil. So can you."

During the service Prof. H. J. Becker pleased his auditors with a beautiful bass solo entitled "Come, Jesus, My Redeemer."

GOOD-BYE CATARRH.

Hyomei Quickly Clears Stuffed-Up Head and Stops Snuffing and Hawking.

In the morning, shortly after you awake, dear reader, do you have to hawk and strain to get that stubborn piece of mucus out of your throat?

Get rid of catarrh now; it will grow worse as you grow older. One day of breathing pleasant, healing Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me), the guaranteed catarrh remedy, will give you such wonderful relief that you will wonder why you doubted the statement that Hyomei would end the most aggravated case of catarrh. Remember Hyomei does not contain any cocaine, opium or other habit forming drugs.

A hard rubber indestructible pocket inhaler and a bottle of Hyomei costs $1.00. This is called the Hyomei outfit. If one bottle does not banish catarrh, you can get another for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Dr. A. B. Allen went to Hopkins Monday noon on a professional visit.

Visited at Rosendale.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and family visited at Rosendale Sunday with Mr. Tilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tilson.

Miss Ethel Muse of Parnell is visiting Maryville friends.

Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Templeton went to Kansas City Monday morning.

Mrs. S. B. Davenport went to Bolckow Monday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Sylvan Lilly.

Miss Audrey Broyles went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to visit her uncle, Edward Proctor.

Mr. Frank Hart of The Democrat-Forum visited in St. Joseph over Sunday with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Readlinger of Clyde were Maryville business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. B. A. Alkire went to Barnard Saturday evening to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Lowell Campbell, and family.

Mrs. Mary Blacketer left Monday morning for Douglas county, Missouri, to visit her brother, Thomas Funderberger.

Mrs. A. A. Thummell and daughter of Parnell returned home Monday from a visit since Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis.

Miss Opal Popplewell of King City visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Miss Dove Sherman, a Conservatory student.

Albert Cunningham of Quincy, Ill., who has been spending several days with his brother, C. A. Cunningham, and family of East First street, went to St. Joseph Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. George Glaze and daughter of St. Joseph returned home Monday morning from a visit since Saturday night with Dr. Glaze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaze.

Mrs. Amanda J. Owens and her grandson, Dale, returned to their home in Hopkins Monday from a visit Friday with their daughter, Mrs. M. V. Smith of East Fourth street.

In probate court Saturday afternoon Judge Conn appointed Charles Garten curator of the estate of Paul R. and Ross D. Garten, minors. He was also appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah J. Garten.

Miss Pauline Kroetch of Clyde, who has been spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Adolph Stapler, returned home Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Robinson of Vandalia, Mo., who has been visiting Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Martin of Hopkins, returned home Monday.

Miss Teresa Goodwin o fthe Alderman millinery department spent Sunday at her home in Omaha.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers are hereby notified that the Graham school board will hire teachers for the coming year on April 26th. All applicants must hold first grade or better certificates, and have had actual experience in teaching.

W. H. MORRIS, Clerk.

FOR SALE—White Langshan eggs, 50 cents per 15. S. C. R. Island Reds, 50 cents per 15. Healthy stock, incessant layers. Mrs. J. C. Archer, 935 South Walnut, Maryville, Mo. 15-17

You are invited to call and see the silent Jackson 32 torpedoes.

Barmann & Wolfert.

Auto Took Long Jump.

With the ease of a veteran hunter taking a hurdle, a Sydney, N. S. W., taxicab recently cleared a 10½-foot ditch, landing on the opposite side with every tire burst, front doors telescoped, axles badly bent, and the framework strained and knocked out of gear. The chauffeur and inmates, however, were quite unhurt save for a severe shaking. Workmen were engaged in taking out a culvert on the road at this point, and had removed the decking. At noon they had left work to eat lunch in a nearby field; and it was at this juncture that the car came speeding along, the chauffeur failing to notice the condition of the road.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

WILLIAMS' INDIAN PILE OINTMENT

Will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. For sale by all druggists, mail 50c and $1.00.

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A REAL AUCTIONEER

If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

BEATRIX 50882 (62273)

The Imported Percheron Stallion Beatrix is a beautiful black with good, flat clean bone, good coupling, good chest, good style and action, in fact a model draft horse.

KENO 2nd 4916

Keno is a magnificent Black Kentucky Jack 16 hands high with good bone, head and ears.

The above named horse and jack will make the season of 1912 at my farm 7 miles southwest of Maryville. Colts from this stock can be seen on farm. See them whether you breed or not.

TERMS: Beatrix and Keno $15.00 each. All colts to stand and suck. Money due when mare is parted with or moved from neighborhood where owned when bred. Colts held for service fees. After breeding two times and your mare comes in heat again and you wish to change to some other horse or jack, by returning and trying her will properly release her. No Sunday service. Farmers Phone 44-21.

W. E. EVANS, Owner.

New Members Initiated.

At a special meeting of the U. C. T. held Saturday, George Flemming, H. R. Hancock and Harold M. Walker were initiated. The order has a large number of members.

THE DOCTOR'S QUESTION.

Much Sickness Due to Bowel Disorders.

A doctor's first question when consulted by a patient is, "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that 98% of illness is attended with inactive bowels and torpid liver, and that this condition must be removed gently and thoroughly before health can be restored.

Rexall Orderlies are a positive, pleasant, and safe remedy for constipation and bowel disorders in general. We are so certain of their great curative value that we promise to return the purchaser's money in every case when they fail to produce entire satisfaction.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like candy, they act quietly, and aid in producing a soothing, strengthening, healing influence on the entire intestinal tract. They do not purge, gripe, cause nausea, flatulence, excessive looseness, diarrhœa, or other annoying effect. They are especially good for children, weak persons, or old folks. Three sizes, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main street.

Visiting in Colorado.

Mrs. Richard Snyder left Monday morning for Rocky Ford, Col., to visit her sister, Mrs. Comber, and a niece, Mrs. Swink.

A WORD WITH WOMEN.

Valuable Advice for Maryville Readers.

Many a woman endures with noble patience the daily misery of backache, pains about the hips, blue, nervous spells, dizziness and urinary disorders, hopeless of relief because she doesn't know what is the matter.

It is not true that every pain in the back or hips is trouble "peculiar to the sex." When the kidneys get congested and inflamed, there are many such aches and pains and the whole body suffers.

You can tell it is kidney trouble if the secretions are dark colored, contain sediment; the passages are too frequent or scanty. Then help the weakened kidneys. They can't get well alone.

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought sound backs and new life and strength to thousands of suffering women. They are endorsed right in this locality. Read this woman's convincing statement:

Mrs. Martha Partridge, 801 East Fourth street, Maryville, Mo., says: "It was seven years ago when I suffered from kidney and bladder complaint, and my trouble made me weak and nervous. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and received relief. I procured them at Love's drug store (now Love & Gaugh's drug store), and cannot say too much in their praise."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Ada M. Jones, administratrix of the estate of James Jones, deceased, will make final settlement of her accounts with said estate as such administratrix at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

ADA M. JONES,
Administratrix.

Seed Corn for Sale

White Silver Mine corn at $2 per bushel. Wm. Seely, 4½ miles northeast of Maryville on R. F. D. 5.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

Thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rocks. Fine layers. 75c per 15; $3.50 per hundred.

MRS. J. V. EMBREE,
Hanamo 3 F.

SEED CORN

Funk's yellow dent, tested 97 per cent, for sale.

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Call and see the best made The Best Galvenized

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Fresh Cut Flowers

Roses, Choice selected. $1.50 dozen, ordinary $1.00 dozen. Carnations, choice selected, 75c dozen; ordinary 50c dozen. Sweet peas, choice selected, 25c dozen, ordinary, 15c dozen. Also Lilies, Tulips, Violets, Lily of the Valley, Marguerites, etc. We make no extra charge for fancy fern greens with flowers, delivering, cards, packing, etc. Plants, shrubs, bulbs, etc., for all floral purposes.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 South Main Street.
Hanamo 171-8, Bell 126.

FIVE AND TEN CENT **MARK'S** FIVE AND TEN CENT

Rose Bushes Just Received

Baby Rambler
Crimson Rambler
White, Yellow, Rambler
La France Rambler
Purple Clematis and many other varieties.

On sale Friday and Saturday. Choice 10c.

STORE

"Successful Because we Satisfy"

Here will be found Excellent Values for Tuesday's and Wednesday's selling

10c boxes BLACK JACK STOVE POLISH for 5c

10c bottles MURDOCK'S BLUEING, 2 for 15c

10c pound pkgs best CORN STARCH, 5 for 20c

7 boxes best LUMP STARCH for..25c

WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP, 3 bars for 10c

Extra choice large LEMONS, doz..20c

10c pkgs MICHIGAN TEA RUSK, 2 for 15c

4 lbs fresh FLAKED HOMINY for 15c

4 lbs SANTA CLARA PRUNES for 25c

Extra alrge clean BULK RAISINS, 3 lb for 25c

10c boxes SEEDED RAISINS, 2 for 15c

3 boxes SARDINES in oil for.....10c

Best RAW PEANUTS, 3 lbs for...25c

Fresh bulk SHRED COCOANUT, 2 lbs 35c

4 lbs whole grain JAPAN RICE...25c

20c frames WHITE COMB HONEY for 15c

Our price on PURE LARD is less than present wholesale cost.
3, 5 or 10-lb pails at, per lb....11c
60-lb tubs, net weight, per lb..10c
In bulk, 4 lbs for.....45c

Armour's best HAMS, lb.....16c

Country Cured new BACON, whole piece 12½c

Country Cured new BACON, in small lots 15c

100 dozen cans (1 lb each) best PINK SALMON 10c

35c sacks GRAHAM FLOUR, 28c: 2 for 55c

12 lbs WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR..40c

Extra choice TABLE POTATOES, per bushel $1.65

Extra choice TABLE POTATOES, by the sack, 2½ bushel.....$4.00

Quart bottles Charm brand MAPLE SYRUP 22c

Van Camp's or Pet MILK, largest cans, 2 for 15c; small cans, 4 for 15c

Fine GRANULATED SUGAR, made from Louisiana cane, 100-lb sacks for $5.85

At present prices FLOUR is the cheapest article of food on the market. Wheat adcanved last week from 5c to 8c per bushel. Still you can buy—

48-lb sack SUNKIST HIGH PATENT FLOUR $1.25

48-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT FLOUR $1.20

TOWNSEND'S FANCY CREAM PATENT FLOUR, cwt.....$2.55

GOLD COIN FLOUR, highest quality, cwt $2.65

SEED POTATOES—Good supply this week.

THE TOWNSEND CO.

THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

Let us have a look at your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

"Just a step past Main"

TITANIC STRUCK HUGE ICEBERG

New White Star Liner, With 1,300 Passengers Aboard is Sinking.

WIRELESS BRINGS ASSISTANCE

Olympic, Baltic and Virginian Rushing to Assist Disabled Vessel—Largest Ship Afloat Carries Crew of 860 Men.

Cape Race, Newfoundland, April 15.—The new White Star liner, Titanic, the largest vessel afloat, struck an iceberg in 41:46 North latitude and 60:14 West longitude, and is sinking by the head, according to a C. Q. D. wireless message received here at 10:50 p. m. There are 1,200 passengers aboard, and 860 men who work the ship.

The wireless operator of the Titanic, in a message received here half an hour earlier, told of the ship having collided with the berg and being damaged, and asked for immediate assistance. The next message also was a call for immediate assistance. The operator declared the ship was sinking rapidly by the head, and that the women were being lowered into lifeboats. The weather, he said, was fair and warm.

Sister Ships to Rescue.

The Marconi station at Cape Race notified the Allen liner Virginian, the captain of which advised that he was proceeding for the scene of the disaster. The Virginian at midnight was 170 miles distant from the Titanic and expected to reach that vessel by 10 o'clock in the morning.

The Olympic at an early hour was in communication with the Titanic and making all possible haste toward her.

The steamship Baltic also reported herself as about 200 miles east of the Titanic and was hastening toward her.

The last signals from the Titanic were heard by the Virginian at 12:27 a. m. The wireless operator said the signals were blurred and ended abruptly.

Many Ships Within Call.

One assuring feature of the accident to the Titanic is that a large number of ships appear to be within the big liner's call. Besides the Virginia of the Allan line which appears to have been the first to have heard of the Titanic's distress and the White Star liners the Baltic and Olympic both of which were reported on the way to the scene, there is also the Cincinnati of the Hamburg-American line, the Cunard liner Mauretania, the Hamburg-American liner Prinz Adelbert and the Amerika of the same line and the North German Lloyd liner, the Prinz Frederick Wilhelm bound from New York to Plymouth, all of which and many smaller liners are shown on the day's steamship chart as probably within the zone of wireless communication with the Titanic.

Hard to Credit Story.

New York, April 15.—T. A. S. Franklin, vice president of the International Mercantile Marine company, said it was difficult to credit the report that the Titanic had met with an accident as the White Star Line had received no wireless message from her.

READS LIKE FAIRYLAND TALE

Traveling Salesman Finds Note From Long Lost Sister in Tobacco Package.

Peabody, Kan., April 15.—Ed. Maloney, a traveling salesman, has just found his sister, from whom he was separated 35 years ago when both were children, by means of an address found in a package of tobacco. Maloney bought a package of tobacco here, in which was a note. The writer, an employe in a factory in North Carolina, desired information about her brother, Ed. Maloney, who she had not heard from for many years. The note was signed Mayme Maloney. Maloney decided it was his sister and wrote to her. He received a reply which convinced him and has sent for his sister to come West and make her home with him.

TRIED TO FORD SWOLLEN STREAM

Two Oklahomans Riding One Horse Caught by Swift Running Current.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 15.—Noel Anderson and Harley McDuffey were drowned in Ganies creek near Cambria, Ok. The men left home in the morning, both on one horse. The horse returned home riderless later in the day. The bodies of the men were found a half mile below where they had tried to ford the stream. The stream has been at flood stage for some time and the current at the ford was very swift.

Uncle of Champ Clark Killed.

Whitesburg, Ky., April 15.—Morgan Clark, 90 years old, an uncle of Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, was killed on his place near here. He was felling a tree in the woods when it fell on him. He had probably more relatives than any other man in Eastern Kentucky.

COLONIAL DRAPERY FABRICS

Alderman Dry Goods Co

BRENLIN WINDOW SHADES

A Complete Showing of Reliable Floor Coverings and Draperies at Alderman's

When the need of new floor coverings and draperies arises, the ability of this store to supply worthy qualities and reliable values should be remembered. Rugs, carpets, linoleums and draperies of all kinds are shown in our big daylight basement salesroom in complete assortments capable of filling every want satisfactorily.

A careful investigation and comparison of our stock will convince you that, quality for quality, our values are always equal, and in a great many cases actually lower, than those quoted by other stores or in catalogs. Buying direct from the greatest mills in sufficient quantities to get the lowest prices, we are enabled to sell all qualities of floor coverings and draperies at prices which set a new standard of value giving.

New Patterns in Room Size Rugs

Wilton, Axminster, Velvet and Tapestry Brussels rugs, in a wide range of new patterns, and in assorted sizes, are carried in our rug section.

Wilton Rugs

The newest oriental and persian designs are shown in the Wilton rugs. Wilton designs are superior to any other. They are the longest wearing and most attractive rugs made. Their quality more than makes up the slight difference in price.

Size 9 by 12, priced from $30 to $40
Size 8-3 by 10-6, priced from $27 to $35.
Size 10-6 by 10-6, priced at $50.

Sizes not carried in stock can be obtained in a very short time.

Axminster Rugs

The new floral, oriental and persian designs in Axminster rugs are very attractive. The Rugs are well made of the best possible materials. Best qualities and values at each price.

Size 12 by 13-6, seamed, priced at $35.
Size 11-3 by 12, seamed, priced from $25 to $30.
Size 9 by 12 seamed, priced from $19 to $27.50.
Size 8-3 by 10-6, seamed, priced from $16 to $18.

The Axminster rugs made by the American Oriental Mills are in true oriental patterns, being designed from the best types of genuine orientals. They come in two sizes—

Size 9 by 10, seamless, price $20.
Size 9 by 12, seamless, price $25.

Velvet and Tapestry Brussels Rugs

The mills have reduced their prices on Velvet and Tapestry Brussels Rugs and, consequently, our prices will be found to be lower than in former seasons. Although the prices have been lowered the quality has been maintained and the rugs can be depended upon to give good wear.

Size 11-3 by 12, priced from $18 to $22.50.
Size 9 by 12, priced from $10 to $19.
Size 8-3 by 10-6, priced from $9 to $12.50.
Size 6 by 9, priced at $5.

Ingrain Rugs

New oriental patterns have been added to Ingrain rugs and it is now possible to secure both oriental and floral effects.

Size 9 by 12, all wool, $9.
Size 9 by 12, cotton chain, $5.

Straw Matting Rugs

A new way to buy mattings—made in rugs, with stenciled medallion designs. Size 9 by 12, price $3.75.

WOVEN MATTING RUGS especially suitable for bed rooms.

Size 9 by 12, price $5.
Size 9 by 9, price $4.25.

Japan Fiber Rugs

Cottage fiber rugs, imported from Japan, made especially for dining and sitting rooms, eight different designs to choose from, size 9 by 12, price $10.

Linoleums

Linoleums, in the best patterns and best grades, are shown in three different qualities at three prices, 50c, 60c and 70c a square yard; three widths, 6, 7½ and 12 feet.

INLAID LINOLEUMS are the best for wear, as the colors go to the back. We carry a number of very desirable patterns and guarantee the qualities to be the best.

Attractive Draperies For All Purposes

We have prepared for the biggest drapery season in our history by assembling the most complete stock we have ever had. All materials, qualities and grades, very moderately priced.

Plain and fancy Scrims, priced from 15c to 50c a yard.

Nets in white, cream and Arabian colors, are very much in demand. They give a welcome change from lace curtains, 45-inch Nets, priced from 20c to 40c a yard; 48 inch Nets, priced from 35c to $1.50 a yard.

Cretonnes are superior to any material for making dainty bedroom draperies, bed sets, pillow coverings, etc. In many cases it is possible to match the designs in wall paper. Priced from 20c to 35c a yard.

Lace Curtains

Each year sees an improvement in the making of Lace Curtains. This season the designs are more attractive than ever.

Curtains for every purpose will be found in the Lace Curtain Section.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from 75c to $4.50 a pair.

Irish Point Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $4 to $9 a pair.

Brussels Net Curtains, white only, priced from $5 to $9 a pair.

Novelty Curtains, white and Arabian, priced from $2.50 to $5 a pair.

Cluny Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $3.75 to $10 a pair.

Filet Net Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $3.50 to $10 a pair.

Window Shades

We carry the best quality of hand made shades and make them to order in any size in our own workroom. If desired we will fit new cloth to the old rollers. We use only the best materials and guarantee satisfaction.

BRENLIN shades are the best shades made. They have no filling to fall out, will not crack or streak. Although they cost slightly more than the ordinary shade they will wear longer and look better. The price of Brenlin shades have been reduced this season. Ask to see the Brenlin cloth—then you will understand why Brenlin wear so long and so well.

We carry the best factory made shades in all colors, in both oil and water color finish. Fitted on the best rollers—36 inch by 7 ft. 50c. 36 inch by 7 ft. 35c. 36 inch by 6 ft. 25c

Complete Stock of Brass Rods and Window Fixtures

Wall Paper

Our complete line of cheap, medium and high priced wall paper is ready for your inspection. The products from the best wall paper mills are included in our display.

We call particular attention to the Birge wall papers, conceded to be the most artistic and beautiful wall papers made in America. We are the exclusive representatives of the Birge mills in Maryville.

Made-to-order Rugs

We make rugs to order in any size. For odd sized rooms or where it is necessary to cover all of the floor these made-to-order rugs solve the problem. Rugs made of Axminster carpets, priced from $1 to $1.25 a yard; from Velvet carpets, priced from $1 to $1.25 a yard and from Wilton carpets, priced at $1.50 a yard, with or without borders.

We are also prepared to get carpets of special designs or in unusual colorings on short notice.

HALL AND STAIR CARPETS, a very complete showing, attractive patterns, priced from 75c to $1.25 a yard.

We show the best qualities and best values in all wool and cotton chain Ingrain carpets, cottage carpets, straw mattings and fiber carpets.

Before buying wire cloth for window, porch or door screens, come in and let us show you something new—a wonderful, long-wearing *wire screen* that is dust-proof—a screen that is best to look through because you can hardly see it—a screen that *lasts.*

"Pearl" Wire Cloth

For Door, Window and Porch Screens

Made of selected steel wire of wonderful hardness and protected by a pearl colored metallic finish used only on Pearl Wire Cloth. It lasts many times longer than the best painted screen in existence.

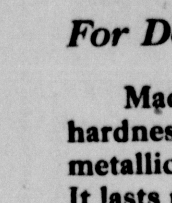
Smooth—clean—and it *stays* that way. Dirt and dust *can't* settle on it. The most sanitary as well as the most durable.

And the most economical because it *lasts longest.*

Pearl Wire Cloth is desirable every way. It's identified by two copper wires in each selvage. *It's here. Come in and ask us to clip you a free sample.*

HUDSON & WELCH

North Side Hardware Men



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One inch card in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

S. C. WHITE ORPINGTONS

The triumph of scientific breeding. Best layers—best for table use. My flock originated from the best in the United States—Owen farm Two firsts and 1 second prize Northwest Mo. Poultry Ass n. show, Maryville, 1911. Eggs for hatching at bargain prices, exhibition pen $4, utility $2 per 15 eggs. Reference, Maryville National Bank. Bell phone 378. O. A. DODGE, 1010 N. Fillmore St., Maryville, Mo.

"SUNNY SIDE" WHITE ROCKS

Eggs from pen $2.00 per 15. Range flock $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Flock and pen not related. MRS. CLAUDE MOORE, R. F. D. 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers' phone 30-14.

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS

EGGS FOR HATCHING

15 for 60c, $3.50 per hundred.

MRS. ELMER YOUNG, Farmers' phone. Bedison, Mo.

Eggs for Setting—Orpingtons Fine, Large, Healthy

Farm raised birds, the quality that wins. Having tested the strength and fertility of eggs, can guarantee results.

Single Comb Buffs, $1 per setting, or $6 per 100.

Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or $12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, $3 per setting.

MRS. HENRY MOORE, Ridgeview Farm, R. 6. Telephone No. 25-16 on Farmers.

EGGS FOR SALE

Single Comb R. I. Reds

High scoring. $1 per setting of 15. $4.50 per hundred. MRS. HENRY SMOCK, Maryville, Mo., R. F. D. 3, Farmers' phone 13-22.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS FOR SETTING

75 cents for 15. $4 per hundred.

MRS. S. W. SCOTT, Maryville, Mo. Route 6. Farmers' phone 25-14.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS

Eggs for Setting

60 cents per setting, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. JOHN ANDERSON, 406 S. Mulberry St., Maryville. Farmers' phone 38-12.

Choice Buff Wyandotte

Eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 15 from first pen, containing birds scoring as high as 94¼, headed by a prize winning cockerel. Eggs from second pen $1.50 per 15. Eggs from both of these pens, as they run, $2.00 per 15. W. H. CRAWFORD & SON.

THOROUGHBRED BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS

5 cockerels—some hens. Eggs 6 c per setting of 15. None but nice, large, fresh eggs. Special prices on large quantities or incubator lots. Delivered to any store in Maryville.

MRS. JOHN HALASEY, Maryville, Mo., R.F.D. 2, Farmers phone 11-19

Orpingtons—Crystal White and Buff. Eggs for Hatching

and baby chicks for sale from prize winning, vigorous stock. These large breeds are noted for their meat and egg laying qualities. Prices low. JOHN E. CAMERON, Poultry Yards, 409 West 9th St., Hanamo 217 Red.

R. C. RHODE ISLAND RED

Eggs for sale, winning first on pen at King City and Guilford, second and third at Maryville poultry shows, fall of 1911; winning fourteen regular prizes from the three places on two pens, pen No. 1 scoring 91¼ to 93¾. $1.50 per setting. Utility pen, 75c per setting; $4.00 per hundred.

MRS. JOE THOMPSON. Guilford, Mo.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS

"The Kind That Stay White"

Took 14 premiums at poultry show in Clarinda, Iowa, in December, 1911. Eggs from best matings $1.50 for 15. Booking orders now.

G. L. GILLESPIE, Clarinda, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, breeder of S. C. Brown Leghorns. My yard contains first prize winners from some of the biggest shows in Missouri. Eggs, $1.00 per setting, or $5.00 per 100. Baby chicks, $15.00 per 100. Will have a few settings of M. B. Turkey eggs at $2.00 per setting. Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, phone 40-20.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS

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GIVES MEXICO FAIR WARNING

America Demands Humane Treatment From Both Sides.

LANGUAGE USED UNMISTAKABLE

Though Declining to Justify Participation of Americans State Department Insists on Obedience to Rules of War.

Washington, April 15.—Warning was issued by the United States to the Mexican government, as well as to General Pascual Orozco, chief of the revolutionary forces, that "it expects and must demand that the American life and property within the Republic of Mexico be justly and adequately protected, and that this government must hold Mexico and the Mexican people responsible for all wanton or illegal acts sacrificing or endangering American life or damaging American property or interests."

The attitude of the United States as expressed to both the federal and rebel authorities is that any maltreatment of American citizens "will be deeply resented by the American government and people, and must be fully answered for by the Mexican people."

Wilson Issues Instructions.

Huntington Wilson, acting secretary of the state department, issued special instructions to Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson at the City of Mexico, and Marion Letcher, American consul at Chihuahua.

Ambassador Wilson was ordered to communicate at once the views of the United States to the Mexican minister for foreign affairs and a copy of his instructions was likewise sent to Letcher at Chihuahua, with special representations addressed to General Orozco.

Orozco recently refused to recognize Letcher as the American consular representative, because the United States withheld recognition of the rebel cause.

Must Obey Rules.

Though declining to justify participation of Americans on either side the United States expressly stipulates that American combatants when taken prisoner must be given humane treatment in accordance with the international rules of war.

The correspondence just made public is admittedly the strongest demand the United States is known to have made upon Mexico for respectful treatment of Americans, as well as other foreigners, and decares that a continuation of illegal acts is tending "to difficulties and obligations which it is to the interests of all true Mexican patriots, as it is the desire of the United States, to avoid."

Heberlein Released.

El Paso, Tex., April 15.—C. A. Heberlein of Los Angeles, Cal., mining engineer, who was imprisoned at Jiminez, Mex., as a spy by order of General Pascqual Orozco, reached El Paso at night. Heberlein was released Thursday and was in Chihuahua until the present time.

SNOW AND WIND HIT COLORADO

Storm Swept Entire State and Part of Wyoming, Doing Thousands of Dollars' Damage.

Denver, April 15.—Reports from all sections of Colorado and from Southeastern Wyoming tell of the havoc wrought by the storm which swept both states all day. In most of Colorado the storm was confined to a heavy wind which in some places approached the velocity of 70 miles an hour. In the mountain sections along the western slope of the Rockies, however, a blinding snowfall accompanied the wind.

In Denver the damage was confined to demolished sign boards and awnings and broken windows. Thouhands of dollars damage was done.

Telegraph and telephone wires are down all over the mountain country, seriously affecting the railway and telegraph companies. The telegraph companies also reported trouble throughout Western Nebraska.

CLAIMS SITE OF OKLAHOMA PEN

State Has Spent Million for Buildings and Now Must Fight for Title.

McAlester, Ok., April 15.—According to attorneys for James Brazell, a wealthy lumberman, the state of Oklahoma has no title to 60 acres of land adjoining this city on which it has expended a million dollars for a penitentiary. The citizens of McAlester were to give the land. A committee contracted to buy it from Brazell within three years for $3,000. They never procured the deed and the three years expired last October. The land is said now to be worth $15,000 and Brazell will bring suit.

Cleanup for Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Kan., April 15.—Pittsburg is to have a clean-up day April 17. The city administration, the city federation of clubs and the Pittsburg Home Improvement society will cooperate. A picnic will be given the children of the city who clean up the back yards

VI-KYNIN W. KOO

Vi-Kynin Wellington Koo, a young Chinaman, who won honors at Columbia university, has started for China to take up the duties of secretary to President Yuan Shi Kai.

THOUGHT HE HAD "MONA LISA"

J. P. MORGAN MOBBED BY ANGRY CROWD IN ITALY.

American Financier, Thought to Have Famous Painting Stolen From Paris Louvre, Had to Fight.

Florence, Italy, April 15.—J. Pierpont Morgan, the American financier, and his sister, Mrs Mary Lyman Burns, were mobbed by hundreds of angry Florentines at the railway station when they sought to leave.

The crowd believed that a picture bought here by Morgan might be the famous Mona Lisa stolen from the Paris Louvre some time ago.

For several days secret service men have been dogging Morgan, prompted by newspaper articles which said the American millionaire was bargaining with secret emissaries for the famous Paris painting. The Florence papers had printed bitter attacks upon "Rich Americans who make art mercenary."

The volatile Florentines, aroused by these attacks, determined that if the famous painting was in Florence it should not be taken away by Morgan. When Morgan and his sister started to leave here they had in their baggage a painting bought here. That picture was believed to be the stolen masterpiece.

At the railway station the crowd closed in about them and they were unable to enter the station. Glaring about him the American financier started through the crowd and striking right and left, scattered the angry people before him.

But he had forgotten his sister, and the crowd, closing in behind him surrounded her. The few police on duty at the station, aided by the secret service men, made an ineffectual attempt to rescue her from the crowd. Finally Morgan fought his way back and taking her arm almost carried her to the train.

MISSOURI NEGROES DECREASING

Report of State Board of Health Shows Deaths in One Month Exceed Births by Ninety.

Jefferson City, April 15.—The report of Frank B Hiller, state registrar, and secretary of the state board of health, just issued, shows that 90 more negroes died during the month than were born, although the complete list of births may not have been forwarded.

This adds strength to the belief that the negroes of Missouri are decreasing steadily and that this has been going on for the last decade. William P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, in his annual report comments on the fact that the number of negro children of school age has been decreasing in the last ten years.

Tuberculosis shows a heavier mortality among negroes than whites. Of all deaths which occurred among them 12.21 per cent were from tuberculosis, while the average for the state for this disease is but 10.68 per cent.

For the Welfare of Texas.

Houston, Tex., April 15.—The Texas welfare commission met here today for the purpose of receiving articles and hearing addresses bearing on the matters which it is investigating. The commission is composed of 15 citizens who have been selected to sit throughout the year to study industrial and economic conditions in Texas, to investigate complaints that the businesses of the state are not producing satisfactory profits and to ascertain whether the welfare of the state requires the amendment of the laws. R. C. Duff of Houston is the chairman of the commission.

Clark Gains in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., April 15.—Champ Clark continued to make gains in the democratic county conventions and his managers now claim 361½ votes in the Burlington convention to 169½ for Woodrow Wilson, with 22 doubtful or contested.

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One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it. This objection has been overcome by the Wyeth Chemical Company of New York, who has placed on the market a superior preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp, and thin, weak, falling hair.

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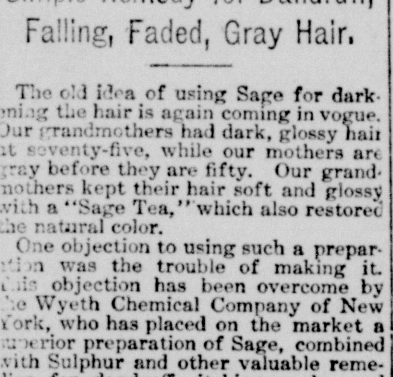

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FOR RENT—4-room cottage in good repair; two lots. See Truman Lloyd, 103 North Buchanan. 13-16

SEED OATS FOR SALE—Regenerated Swedish Select. C. D. Leffler. 13-16

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR RENT—Two good front rooms over 216-218 Main street. Jim Andy Ford. 9-15

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MADE EVEN SPLIT

NORMALS WON AT BLANCHARD BUT LOST TO TARKIO.

WILSON FANNED FIFTEEN

The Jew Was in Great Form and Allowed But Two Safe Bingles, and Only Thirty Men Faced Him.

When a manager of a "big" league base ball game breaks even on the road he figures that he is getting off pretty lucky. That's just what Coach Moore and his Normal base ball squad did in their two days' trip Friday and Saturday. They won a game and dropped one, beside participating in an aviation meet near College Springs, Ia.

With Fred Vandersloot on the mound the teachers lost a hard luck game to Tarkio college Friday afternoon by a 6 to 5 count. The score was tied in the eighth inning at 5 all, but the collegians scored the winning run in the last of the ninth. Tarkio's hits off Vandersloot totaled ten, but Van kept them pretty well scattered, and errors were responsible for four of the collegians' runs. The locals laced out eight safe bingles. For the Normal,the catching of Captain McKee and the fielding and stick work of Taylor and McGrew were the star stunts.

Coach Moore lined his men up as follows:

McKee (captain), catcher; Vandersloot, pitcher; Wilson, shortstop; Breit, first base; Miller, second base; McGrew, third base; Simpson, left field; Taylor, center field; Richardson, right field.

From Tarkio the team went to Blanchard, Ia., from which place they embarked for College Springs via the H. C. L. (handcar limited), where they were scheduled to tangle with the Amity college ball tossers on Saturday. Now right here was where the "aviation meet" came in. As the men were nearing College Springs the rear Pullman (that is, the hand car in the rear) left the rails very suddenly and deposited its cargo in about fourteen different directions in mid-air. That the boys were not badly injured was a miracle, but they all escaped with a few slight scratches. But that little episode didn't hinder "our boys" from trouncing the Amity hopefuls to the tune of 6 to 1. About 99¾ per cent of the credit for copping this game must be given to Dr. "Shylock" Wilson, who dished out the pills to the enemy. In the course of the game but thirty men faced the Jew, and after the first inning but one of the foe reached first base, and that was by the free transportation route. The Jew allowed but two safe wallops and they were both bunched in the initial round, scoring Amity's only run of the battle. He caused fifteen men to lay down the club, and the pedagogues gave him brilliant support. But one goble was made, and that was a low peg to first by McGrew after Mac had made a circus stop of a liner.

Captain McKee caught another stellar game and contributed to the score with two healthy doubles. Miller and Bright also twinkled in the field. Kirby Taylor, the Normal's "giant" center gardener, stole home in the fifth after having been caught off third on a hit and run play. The Normal's line-up was the same as at Tarkio, except that Vandersloot and Wilson "swapped" positions.

In speaking of the games Monday morning, Coach Moore said he had very little kick coming on the performance of his men in the two games last week, except in the base running. According to the coach they pulled off several boneheads on the bases, and this week will find the boys trying to remedy that weakness in preparation for the game Saturday with Conception college at Conception.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

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DEATH OF MRS. LOUIS ROMASSER.

Passed Away Sunday Noon at St. Francis Hospital—Funeral Services Tuesday at 9:30 A. M.

Mrs. Louis Romasser died Sunday noon at 12:45 o'clock at St. Francis hospital, with her husband and children at her bedside. The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic church Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, by the assistant pastor, Rev. Fr. Willebroad, in the absence of Rev. Fr. Anselm.

Mrs. Romasser was 78 years old at the time of her death. Mr. and Mrs. Romasser came to Maryville to make their home in 1868, and have lived here constantly since, and have been members of St. Mary's parish all that time. Mrs. Romasser is survived by her husband and five children, who are: Mr. Augustus Romasser of Maryville, Mrs. J. P. Cummings of Ottumwa, Ia.; Mrs. Letcher Roberts of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Misses Dora and Philomene Romasser of Kansas City.

Mr. J. P. Cummings and daughter, Miss Helen, arrived in Maryville Monday morning for the funeral.

MARTIN GETS LARGE FEE.

Wins Noted Iowa Case and the Fee is to Be $20,000.

B. R. Martin of St. Joseph was in Maryville Monday on business. He was on his way to St. Joseph, having been at Creston the past week, where he was attorney in a will contest suit. The jury returned a verdict Saturday at Creston, breaking the will of Robert Madden, and Mr. Martin won a $20,000 fee, one of the largest ever paid in an Iowa case.

The Madden will case attracted a great deal of attention. Robert Madden at his death last fall left property worth $300,000 to three of his children, practically disinheriting Grace and Charles Madden, his other son and daughter. Madden was one of the wealthiest men in Southern Iowa, and the will case was the largest ever tried in an Iowa court. Martin spoke for five hours in presenting his case to the jury.

NORMAL QUARTET RETURNED

From a Week's Concert Tour in Barnard and in Illinois.

The Normal Male Quartet returned Monday morning from a week's concert trip in Illinois. The men gave concerts at McFall, Mo.; Virden, Carlinsville, Jerseyville and Palmyra, Ill. They were well received in every town and were invited to return next year.

The quartet, assisted by Mrs. F. P. Robinson, soprano, will give a concert in the auditorium of the Maryville high school on next Friday night for the benefit of the senior class of the high school.

THE JAIL IS A CLEAN PLACE.

So Says a Member of the State Board of Charities Who Was Here Monday.

Mrs. Caroline Forrester, a member of the state board of charities and correction, was in Maryville Monday and inspected the county jail. She says the jail is kept in clean shape and that the sanitary conditions are good.

COURT ON THURSDAY.

An Adjourned Session When Growney vs. O'Donnell to Set Aside a Deed Will Come Up.

Circuit court will be in session on Thursday, with Judge J. Woodson Peery of Albany on the bench in the case of Elizabeth Growney vs. Patrick J. and Joseph J. O'Donnell, to set aside a deed.

Left for California.

Mrs. U. I. Wilson of this city and her father, C. H. Eaton of Barnard, left for Los Angeles, Cal., Monday morning, and will spend several months in the Pacific coast country for the benefit of Mrs. Wilson's health. Mrs. Wilson's daughter, Miss Ethel, accompanied her as far as Barnard and will remain with her aunt, Miss Emma Eaton, until her mother's return.

Mrs. Howard Clarkson and two children of Macon, Mo., are in Maryville on a visit to her uncles, G. B. and O. L. Holmes, and their families. Mrs. Clarkson will be better remembered in Maryville as Miss Ethleene Schaff.

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SUNDAY DECORATION ADDRESS AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

FORD TO MAKE ADDRESS

Regular Decoration Day Services in Court House Yard, With a Declamatory Contest for Prizes.

Arrangements are being made for the decoration exercises to be held in Maryville on May 30, by the G. A. R. and W. R. C. At a meeting held Saturday it was decided that on Sunday afternoon, May 26, Rev Lee Harrel of the Baptist church should give the decoration sermon at the Presbyterian church.

Then on May 30 the address will be given by Dr. J. S. Ford of the Methodist church in the court house yard if the weather is favorable. The regular exercises will take place in the Christian church on that day.

The committee in charge are expecting to have a declamatory contest on that day, when the contestants will declaim "Sheridan's Ride." The contest is open to the five Protestant Sunday schools of the city, and only one representative from each. Prizes will be given so each one will receive one.

The first prize will be $5, the second $4, the third $3, the fourth $2, and the fifth $1.

COMMENCEMENT AT GRAHAM.

Program to Be Given May 1st—A Good Stock Sale at Pickering.

The rural commencement of Hughes township will be held in the M. E. church at Graham on May 1. The following is the program:

March—Cora Miller.
Invocation—Rev. Nichols.
Instrumental solo—Lucile Snowberger.
Recitation—Hayzlett school.
Quartet.
Recitation—East Star school.
Vocal solo—Morgan school.
Instrumental solo—Edith Hayworth.
Address—Dr. H. K. Taylor.
Address—County Superintendent of Schools Oakerson.

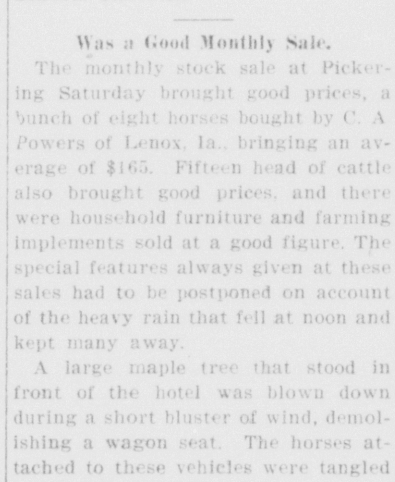
Was a Good Monthly Sale.

The monthly stock sale at Pickering Saturday brought good prices, a bunch of eight horses bought by C. A. Powers of Lenox, Ia., bringing an average of $165. Fifteen head of cattle also brought good prices, and there were household furniture and farming implements sold at a good figure. The special features always given at these sales had to be postponed on account of the heavy rain that fell at noon and kept many away.

A large maple tree that stood in front of the hotel was blown down during a short bluster of wind, demolishing a wagon seat. The horses attached to these vehicles were tangled in the branches of the tree, and it took some little work on the part of the men at the sale to extricate them.

Judge Campbell Very Low.

Judge James H. Campbell, a former member of the Nodaway county court, is lying very ill at the home of his son, Lowell B. Campbell, in



JUDGE J. H. CAMPBELL

Barnard. He has only been confined to his bed a week. His affliction is lung trouble, from which he has suffered for a year, with serious dropsical complications that have lately arisen.

A Large Number Took Examination.

The rural examinations held in the various townships over the county on Friday and Saturday were written by 300 pupils, the largest number that has so far taken the examination. Jefferson township decided to hold their rural commencement exercises on May 20, White Cloud township at Salem church on May 4.

175 ENTRIES FROM 21

ENROLLMENT FOR TRACK MEET MUCH LARGER THAN EVER.

INTEREST WIDE SPREAD

Twenty-One High Schools From Over the Normal District Will Have Contestants in Big Meet.

The entries for the oratorical contest and track meet in Maryville on Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, under the auspices of the Normal, closed Saturday night. There are twenty-one high schools that have entries for the contest and meet.

There are 175 persons entered for the track meet, 125 of these being from fourteen high schools. The meet will be twice as big as it was last year, and great interest is being taken among the various high schools entered for first place.

The following is a list of the high schools entered for the contest and the meet:

Maryville, Savannah, Rosendale, St. Joseph Central, Platte City, Stanberry, Chillicothe, Trenton, Princeton, Gilman City, Grant City, Bethany, Tarkio, Westboro, Hopkins, Pickering, Benton of St. Joseph, Plattsburg, Albany, Braymer and Ridgeway.

VEST GETS TEN YEARS.

Jury Returned Verdict in Murder Case at Oregon Saturday Night.

After being out from 5 until a little after 9 o'clock at night Saturday night at Oregon, the jury in the case of Frank Vest, charged with the murder of Guy Stanley, returned to verdict of murder in the second degree, and placed the punishment at ten years in the penitentiary.

Stanley was killed December 3 last at the Vest farm, about four miles west of Bigelow. Vest had been away from home and when he returned he said his wife was crying, and when he asked the cause she declared that Stanley had attempted to assault her. Vest said he went to Stanley's room and shot him. The state tried to prove that Vest knew of the alleged insults some time before he shot Stanley. The latter worked for Vest, and Vest said they were good friends.

A motion for a new trial was made, and pending the motion Vest was released under $8,000 bond, furnished by relatives of his wife.

The case was tried before Judge W. C. Ellison. Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison of this city were the attorneys for the defendant.

Returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. Joseph T. Shipps, who has been here the past month visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle of this city and her sister, Mrs. Charles Shipps of Arkoe, and Mr. Shipps' relatives, south of Maryville, left for her home, near Ottawa, Kan., Monday morning. She left her daughter and six sons in charge of her sister, Mrs. Shipps of Arkoe, until their new residence is finished. Mrs. Shipps and her family were forced to come to Maryville when they did by the burning of their farm residence with all its contents. She found her mother, Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle, very ill on her arrival, and for several days her life was despaired of. She is improving now, however, and is able to sit up awhile each day.

Have Illinois Guests.

Miss Ada Gingrich, living northwest of the city, was in the city Monday to meet her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Sample of Monmouth, Ill., who will visit at her home. The visitors stopped in Maryville on their way home from a winter's stay in Los Angeles and other California points.

Good Rain at Hopkins.

Saturday noon a splendid good rain fell in Hopkins and vicinity and the farmers around there are in a O. B. Joyful mood. The ground can stand lots of wetness on account of last year's drouth.

Mrs. Dr. Gaugh and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Walker of Burlington Junction, visited in the city Monday with their son and brother Charles Gaugh.

Mrs. Mary Kimple and daughter, Miss Anna Kimper of Bolckow were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

Miss Jennie Vardie went to Stanberry Monday for a several days' stay on business.

CLARK'S CAMPAIGN FUND.

A Number Contributed to the Fund Today—All Democrats Should Give a Dollar or So.

A number of Democrats contributed today to the Champ Clark campaign fund, which The Democrat-Forum started Saturday. These subscriptions will be sent in to the St. Louis Republic, who in turn will send them to Ex-Governor Lon V. Stephens, treasurer of the fund.

That good old Democrat P. J. Hainey of Barnard, sent his personal check for $2.50 Monday and said: "I think it is a good plan and right, and I hope it will be a success. I think publication of names and donors a good idea, for the reason that it may induce others to contribute to the fund. If others will contribute according to my check for $2.50, it will aggregate quite a sum."

Every Democrat in the county should donate a dollar or so to the fund, as it is very much needed at this time in Clark's campaign for the presidency.

The list of the contributors to the fund follows:

The Democrat-Forum	$10.00
P. J. Hainey, Barnard	2.50
James B. Robinson	1.00
N. E. DeMotte	1.00
Mayor Arthur Robey	1.00
Frank Owens	1.00

WHO'S THE POLICE JUDGE.

Vexed Question Seems to Be Still Far From a Settlement.

The question of who is police judge of the city was again up Monday, and is still not decided.

The question came up when Chief of Police Elmer Moberly arrested Ben Wright for drunkenness on Saturday night. 'Squire W. L. Johnson, who has been police judge, refused to try the case, and so did Mayor Arthur Robey. Of course, 'Squire J. W. Morris could not try the case, as he is not qualified as police judge at this time.

So Mayor Robey and 'Squire Johnson sent for the city attorney, W. A. Blagg, to get his opinion on the matter. Mr. Blagg was out of the city and will not return before this evening. The matter will then be taken up and a legal decision as to who should try the cases will be given.

Many of the attorneys are of the opinion that the city council should issue a commission to 'Squire J. W. Morris, as he was duly elected police judge. Still others are expressing themselves that if the ordinance was void abolishing the office of police judge, and since the city did not make a call for the election of a police judge, that 'Squire W. L. Johnson should hold over.

Attorney F. P. Robinson, attorney for 'Squire Morris, says that the matter will be taken up to the court, as he is of the opinion that Morris is duly entitled to the commission as police judge.

Will Probated.

The will of Ferdinand Schenkel, who died at St. James, Mo., last week, was filed in probate court late Saturday afternoon. The will was written on October 7, 1909, and was witnessed by Aaron Felix and Nick Sturm. By the terms of the will the executor is ordered to sell all real and personal property, and residue of the estate to be divided among the wife and children, the wife to receive one-half of the estate and the children, Ernest, John F. and Leo Schenkel, Amelia Putnam, Elvira Busby and Mary Patton, one-twelfth each. Ernest Schenkel was named as executor.

Married by Judge Morris.

A marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon by Recorder Wray to John T. Cummings and Miss Willie Crow of Stanberry. They were married Sunday evening by 'Squire J. W. Morris.

Will Sing in Meetings.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon went to Weston, Mo., Saturday evening to sing in evangelistic services that will begin there Sunday at the M. E. church, South.

Harmon Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. Litch and Mrs. Groves, all of Hopkins were city visitors Monday.

FOR CHILD WELFARE

DISCUSSIONS FROM VARIOUS ANGLES BY MOTHERS' CIRCLE.

OPEN SESSION TUESDAY

"Why a Mothers' Circle," "The Father's Responsibility," "Juvenile Laws" and "Athletics" Topics.

The program for the open session of the Mothers' Circle to be given Tuesday night in the high school auditorium at 7:45 o'clock, is completed and is as follows:

Maryville orchestra.
Singing of "America."
Devotional services, led by Rev. S. D. Harkness.
"Why a Mother's Circle in Maryville?" by the president, Mrs. Eugene Ogden.
Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Address, "The Father's Responsibilities to the Home and Children," Dean G. H. Colbert.
Maryville orchestra.
"Juvenile Laws," Prosecuting Attorney G. P. Wright.
Discussion, led by Dr. A. T. Fisher.
Solo, Miss Lillian Lindholm.
"Athletics and Equipment," Superintendent C. A. Hawkins.
Discussion, led by W. A. Blagg.
Maryville orchestra.

FEBRUARY REPORT

Of Births and Deaths in Nodaway County as Filed With the State Board.

The report of deaths and births of this county for February as filed with the state bureau of vital statistics shows that there were 43 births and 29 deaths. Of the births, 24 were male and 19 female, and of the deaths 17 were male and 12 female.

The report shows there were 6,275 births in Missouri in February and 4,062 deaths. The birth rate was nineteen to the thousand population, while the death rate was only 12.3 a thousand.

The statistics show that ninety more negroes died in February than were born, although the complete list of births may not have been forwarded.

This adds strength to the belief that the negroes of Missouri are decreasing steadily and that this has been going on for the last decade. William P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, in his annual report comments on the fact that the number of negro children of school age has been decreasing in the last ten years.

Tuberculosis shows a heavier mortality among negroes than whites. Of all deaths which occurred among them 12.21 per cent were from tuberculosis, while the average for the state for this disease is but 10.68 per cent.

Left for Their Homes.

Mrs. Amelia Putnam and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Steers, of St. Louis; Messrs. O. E. Patton and Leo Schenkel of Chicago and E. W. Schenkel of Louisiana, Mo., who were called to the city Thursday to attend the funeral services of their father, Ferdinand Schenkel, who died Tuesday night, left for their homes Saturday evening. Mrs. Patton and her little daughter of Chicago remained for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Elihu Busby.

Visited Her Father.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and daughter drove to Barnard Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Beech's father, who left Monday on a pleasure trip to Los Angeles and other California points.

Teddy's "Big Stick."

Teddy's "big stick" is on display at the Orear-Henry drug store and is attracting a great deal of attention. The stick is about six feet tall, and at the bottom of it is a placard, stating that the stick is from Africa.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday; probably frost tonight.

"The Woven Web"

Tuesday Evening, April 16th, at 8:30 o'clock

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Admission. Adults 25c; children 15c.

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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

Announcement.

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for county treasurer on the Democratic ticket, subject to the primary election in August.

SAMUEL H. WILLIAMS.

Lieber Holmes Not Injured.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Holmes of this city received a letter Sunday evening from their son, Lieber Holmes, who is a student of the horological department of Bradley's academy at Peoria, Ill., stating they need have no fears concerning him in regard to the catastrophe that befell 125 young men and young women of that school who visited the distillery at Peoria Saturday afternoon to watch the manufacturing process of that institution.

The second floor of the building gave way while they were there and not one in the entire company escaped without injury, nearly all sustaining broken bones, and one girl is thought to be fatally injured. The water pipes also burst with the caving in of the floor and many barely escaped drowning.

Mr. Holmes and a fellow student have a small jewelry shop downtown, and the fact that they were busy with their work accounts for their safety.

The talk of the town—the silent running Jackson automobile just received at Barmann & Wolfert's.

Here From Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. Michau, who has been visiting her, arrived in the city Monday noon. Mrs. Shoemaker will visit her relatives in this city for several weeks.

Gave Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. Ben King gave a dinner Sunday to observe the fifty-first birthday anniversary of Mr. King at their home north of the city. Those present were their daughters, Misses Ora, Ola, Flora and Helen King, and Mrs. and Mrs. S. T. Gile and family of this city.

Were Given Flowers.

At the chapel hour this morning at the Normal, President Taylor "handed bouquets" to the school base ball team and the male quartet, both of which returned from a tour recently. And the doctor really did hand them bouquets, too, for each organization was presented with a dozen beautiful carnations.

Harry Scott is Quite Sick.

Harry Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott of South Depot street, is quite sick of rheumatism and pneumonia.

Mrs. J. W. Toel went to St. Joseph Monday morning to spend the day.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle Meeting Tuesday.

The M. I. Circle will hold its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Emma Shroyer.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Albert Forcade, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Angell and family, and Dale and Ben Dorman.

Will Be "May Day" Wedding.

The wedding bans of Miss Emma Irene Lavelle and Mr. Thomas James Brady were published at St. Patrick's Catholic church Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Niemann. The ceremony will take place Tuesday morning, May 1, at 8 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Club.

A called meeting of the Twentieth Century club will be held Tuesday afternoon, April 16, at 2:30 o'clock, at the Elks club. This is to be a meeting for the general election of officers, and the separation of the club into the various departments and the organization of the new art department.

Met With Mrs. Denham.

The P. E. O. chapter held its regular study meeting with Mrs. J. C. Denham Saturday afternoon. Australia was the subject. Mrs. O. C. Hanna read a paper on the country, its climate, people, flowers, vegetation, birds and animals, and Mrs. Denham told of its engagement and marriage customs and laws. After the program the next year's course of study was talked of, and Miss Mae Corwin sang two solos, "Spring Flowers," by Wheeler, and "A Rose Garden," by Clark. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. C. Corwin in two weeks and will be an evening meeting, on account of the track meet that will be in progress at that time.

Surprised Mrs. Culbertson.

Mrs. A. M. Culbertson, who left Monday morning for her new home at Long Beech, Cal., was given a happy surprise at the home of Mrs. M. H. Borrusch Friday afternoon by the ladies of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church, of which she has been a faithful member for several years. Mrs. Borrusch had invited Mrs. Culbertson to her home to visit until Saturday, and when she arrived in company with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Jones, living northwest of the city, she thought she had made a mistake about the time of the regular monthly meeting of the society, and had come in time for the session, not knowing they had gathered to do her honor. There were twenty-eight members present. The society presented Mrs. Culbertson a solid silver fork as a token of remembrance, Mrs. Anderson Craig making the presentation speech, which was followed by an expression from every one present, regretful at her departure, but wishing her well in her new home, where there is perpetual sunshine and flowers.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—21,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Hogs—37,000. Market slow; top, $7.97. Estimate tomorrow, 14,000.

Sheep—25,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—6,500. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—6,500. Market strong; top, $7.90.

Sheep—11,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,800. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—4,000. Market strong; top, $7.90.

Sheep—2,700. Market steady.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our kind neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy during the sickness and death of our husband and father. We wish also to thank our friends for their beautiful floral remembrances.

MRS. M. A. LAMBERT.
MRS. S. J. PINNELL.
MRS. CHAS. M'NEAL.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John F. Roelofson, public administrator, in charge of the estate of E. E. Bowers, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such public administrator, at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

JOHN F. ROELOFSON
Public Administrator.

"IS THERE A PERSNAL DEVIL?"

Rev. Claude John Miller Takes Rather Remarkable Subject for a Lecture Sermon.

A good-sized audience gathered Sunday evening at the First Christian church and listened with interest to the subject—a peculiar one—a lecture-sermon by the pastor, Rev. Claude John Miller, "Is There a Personal Devil?"

Text—Peter 5:8: "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour."

The Rev. Mr. Miller said in part:

"Is there a personal devil? It is the problem of the hour.

"The man who has not examined the Bible thoroughly is in doubt about a personal devil roving the earth.

"The Master once said to the scribes and Pharisees: 'How can ye escape the damnation of hell?'

"It would have been a great privilege to travel in company with Paul. He was educated, a scholar of his day. 'Tis possible he touched upon the subject I am discussing this evening.

"We see sorrow written here, there and everywhere. Who is the author of all this? It is the devil stalking the earth.

"Edward Scribner Raines of Chicago and others of skeptical turn of mind say the devil is only an evil force. Investigation into their beliefs reveals the fact their point is only evil force.

"Can a mere evil force perform all the things of sorrow? No. It is a personal evil spirit.

"Could an evil force ever have tempted the Savior?

"Men have counterfeited only that which is divine and good. Usurpation and plagiarism is an inheritance of some men to meet their own ends.

"The devil is certainly not a myth. He was certainly a reality in the days of old as he is at this hour.

"The work of the infidel is a tendency toward the destruction and breaking down of Christianity. They are simply wolves in sheep's clothing. They pose in the name of scholarship; they are far from it when they undertake to dispute the Bible.

"The leaders of the new though are never understood. They are more often misunderstood.

"Read your Bible and you will find twenty writers who refer to the devil as an evil personality.

"The devil was once an angel of light, but was cast down to earth after the war in heaven, and by his own acts he made himself a devil and was cast out.

"Some ask the question: 'If God is God, why doesn't he kill the devil?' He can't work against your will. You must give up your evil ways, turn to the Master and the devil will forsake you.

"There are sixteen titles given to the devil in the Bible. He, indeed, has more titles than all the schools and colleges have conferred upon men.

"The devil is as much a personality as any man who walks the earth. Perhaps he works by hypnotism. In hypnotism the mind works at the suggestion of another. Free will has lost its controlling energy and the agent of another mind. We know something about how mind acts on matter, but we know next to nothing about the relation of spirits to and their influence on the material world.

"This is a spiritual world. Though not a spiritualist from the 'ism' generally accepted by some, I believe the spirits are all about us. Evil spirits are about us at all times. When you think the devil is asleep, he is wide awake.

"Safety in companionship with Jesus will be your reward if you will but turn to him. He withstood the devil. So can you."

During the service Prof. H. J. Becker pleased his auditors with a beautiful bass solo entitled "Come, Jesus, My Redeemer."

GOOD-BYE CATARRH.

Hyomei Quickly Clears Stuffed-Up Head and Stops Snuffing and Hawking.

In the morning, shortly after you awake, dear reader, do you have to hawk and strain to get that stubborn piece of mucus out of your throat?

Get rid of catarrh now; it will grow worse as you grow older. One day of breathing pleasant, healing Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me), the guaranteed catarrh remedy, will give you such wonderful relief that you will wonder why you doubted the statement that Hyomei would end the most aggravated case of catarrh. Remember Hyomei does not contain any cocaine, opium or other habit forming drugs.

A hard rubber indestructible pocket inhaler and a bottle of Hyomei costs $1.00. This is called the Hyomei outfit. If one bottle does not banish catarrh, you can get another for 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Dr. A. B. Allen went to Hopkins Monday noon on a professional visit.

Visited at Rosendale.

Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson and family visited at Rosendale Sunday with Mr. Tilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tilson.

Miss Ethel Muse of Parnell is visiting Maryville friends.

Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Templeton went to Kansas City Monday morning.

Mrs. S. B. Davenport went to Bolckow Monday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Sylvan Lilly.

Miss Audrey Broyles went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to visit her uncle, Edward Proctor.

Mr. Frank Hart of The Democrat-Forum visited in St. Joseph over Sunday with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Readlinger of Clyde were Maryville business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. B. A. Alkire went to Barnard Saturday evening to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Lowell Campbell, and family.

Mrs. Mary Blacketer left Monday morning for Douglas county, Missouri, to visit her brother, Thomas Funderberger.

Mrs. A. A. Thummell and daughter of Parnell returned home Monday from a visit since Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis.

Miss Opal Popplewell of King City visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Miss Dove Sherman, a Conservatory student.

Albert Cunningham of Quincy, Ill., who has been spending several days with his brother, C. A. Cunningham, and family of East First street, went to St. Joseph Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. George Glaze and daughter of St. Joseph returned home Monday morning from a visit since Saturday night with Dr. Glaze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaze.

Mrs. Amanda J. Owens and her grandson, Dale, returned to their home in Hopkins Monday from a visit Friday with their daughter, Mrs. M. V. Smith of East Fourth street.

In probate court Saturday afternoon Judge Conn appointed Charles Garten curator of the estate of Paul R. and Ross D. Garten, minors. He was also appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah J. Garten.

Miss Pauline Kroetch of Clyde, who has been spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Adolph Stapler, returned home Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Robinson of Vandalia, Mo., who has been visiting Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Martin of Hopkins, returned home Monday.

Miss Teresa Goodwin o fthe Alderman millinery department spent Sunday at her home in Omaha.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers are hereby notified that the Graham school board will hire teachers for the coming year on April 26th. All applicants must hold first grade or better certificates, and have had actual experience in teaching.

W. H. MORRIS, Clerk.

FOR SALE—White Langshan eggs, 50 cents per 15. S. C. R. Island Reds, 50 cents per 15. Healthy stock, incessant layers. Mrs. J. C. Archer, 935 South Walnut, Maryville, Mo. 15-17

You are invited to call and see the silent Jackson 32 torpedoes.

Barmann & Wolfert.

Auto Took Long Jump.

With the ease of a veteran hunter taking a hurdle, a Sydney, N. S. W., taxicab recently cleared a 10½-foot ditch, landing on the opposite side with every tire burst, front doors telescoped, axles badly bent, and the framework strained and knocked out of gear. The chauffeur and inmates, however, were quite unhurt save for a severe shaking. Workmen were engaged in taking out a culvert on the road at this point, and had removed the decking. At noon they had left work to eat lunch in a nearby field; and it was at this juncture that the car came speeding along, the chauffeur failing to notice the condition of the road.

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The above named horse and jack will make the season of 1912 at my farm 7 miles southwest of Maryville. Colts from this stock can be seen on farm. See them whether you breed or not.

TERMS: Beatrix and Keno $15.00 each. All colts to stand and suck. Money due when mare is parted with or moved from neighborhood where owned when bred. Colts held for service fees. After breeding two times and your mare comes in heat again and you wish to change to some other horse or jack, by returning and trying her will properly release her. No Sunday service. Farmers Phone 44-21.

W. E. EVANS, Owner.

New Members Initiated.

At a special meeting of the U. C. T. held Saturday, George Flemming, H. R. Hancock and Harold M. Walker were initiated. The order has a large number of members.

THE DOCTOR'S QUESTION.

Much Sickness Due to Bowel Disorders.

A doctor's first question when consulted by a patient is, "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that 98% of illness is attended with inactive bowels and torpid liver, and that this condition must be removed gently and thoroughly before health can be restored.

Rexall Orderlies are a positive, pleasant, and safe remedy for constipation and bowel disorders in general. We are so certain of their great curative value that we promise to return the purchaser's money in every case when they fail to produce entire satisfaction.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like candy they act quietly, and aid in producing a soothing, strengthening, healing influence on the entire intestinal tract. They do not purge, gripe, cause nausea, flatulence, excessive looseness diarrhœa, or other annoying effect. They are especially good for children, weak persons, or old folks. Three sizes, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main street.

Visiting in Colorado.

Mrs. Richard Snyder left Monday morning for Rocky Ford, Col., to visit her sister, Mrs. Comber, and a niece, Mrs. Swink.

A WORD WITH WOMEN.

Valuable Advice for Maryville Readers.

Many a woman endures with noble patience the daily misery of backache, pains about the hips, blue, nervous spells, dizziness and urinary disorders, hopeless of relief because she doesn't know what is the matter.

It is not true that every pain in the back or hips is trouble "peculiar to the sex." When the kidneys get congested and inflamed, there are many such aches and pains and the whole body suffers.

You can tell it is kidney trouble if the secretions are dark colored, contain sediment; the passages are too frequent or scanty. Then help the weakened kidneys. They can't get well alone.

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought sound backs and new life and strength to thousands of suffering women. They are endorsed right in this locality. Read this woman's convincing statement:

Mrs. Martha Partridge, 801 East Fourth street, Maryville, Mo., says: "It was seven years ago when I suffered from kidney and bladder complaint, and my trouble made me weak and nervous. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and received relief. I procured them at Love's drug store (now Love & Gaugh's drug store), and cannot say too much in their praise."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Ada M. Jones, administratrix of the estate of James Jones, deceased, will make final settlement of her accounts with said estate as such administratrix at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville, in said county, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1912.

ADA M. JONES,
Administratrix.

Seed Corn for Sale

White Silver Mine corn at $2 per bushel. Wm. Seely, 4½ miles northeast of Maryville on R. F. D. 5.

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10c bottles MURDOCK'S BLUEING, 2 for 15c

10c pound pkgs best CORN STARCH, 5 for 20c

7 boxes best LUMP STARCH for..25c

WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP, 3 bars for 10c

Extra choice large LEMONS, doz..20c

10c pkgs MICHIGAN TEA RUSK, 2 for 15c

4 lbs fresh FLAKED HOMINY for 15c

4 lbs SANTA CLARA PRUNES for 25c

Extra alrge clean BULK RAISINS, 3 lb for 25c

10c boxes SEEDED RAISINS, 2 for 15c

3 boxes SARDINES in oil for.....10c

Best RAW PEANUTS, 3 lbs for...25c

Fresh bulk SHRED COCOANUT, 2 lbs 35c

4 lbs whole grain JAPAN RICE...25c

20c frames WHITE COMB HONEY for 15c

Our price on PURE LARD is less than present wholesale cost.
3, 5 or 10-lb pails at, per lb....11c
60-lb tubs, net weight, per lb..10c
In bulk, 4 lbs for.....45c

Armour's best HAMS, lb.....16c

Country Cured new BACON, whole piece 12½c

Country Cured new BACON, in small lots 15c

100 dozen cans (1 lb each) best PINK SALMON 10c

35c sacks GRAHAM FLOUR, 28c; 2 for 55c

12 lbs WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR..40c

Extra choice TABLE POTATOES, per bushel $1.65

Extra choice TABLE POTATOES, by the sack, 2½ bushel.....$4.00

Quart bottles Charm brand MAPLE SYRUP 22c

Van Camp's or Pet MILK, largest cans, 2 for 15c; small cans, 4 for 15c

Fine GRANULATED SUGAR, made from Louisiana cane, 100-lb sacks for $5.85

At present prices FLOUR is the cheapest article of food on the market. Wheat adcanved last week from 5c to 8c per bushel. Still you can buy—

48-lb sack SUNKIST HIGH PATENT FLOUR $1.25

48-lb sack SAFEGUARD PATENT FLOUR $1.20

TOWNSEND'S FANCY CREAM PATENT FLOUR, cwt.....$2.55

GOLD COIN FLOUR, highest quality, cwt $2.65

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TITANIC STRUCK HUGE ICEBERG

New White Star Liner, With 1,300 Passengers Aboard is Sinking.

WIRELESS BRINGS ASSISTANCE

Olympic, Baltic and Virginian Rushing to Assist Disabled Vessel—Largest Ship Afloat Carries Crew of 860 Men.

Cape Race, Newfoundland, April 15.—The new White Star liner, Titanic, the largest vessel afloat, struck an iceberg in 41:46 North latitude and 60:14 West longitude, and is sinking by the head, according to a C. Q. D. wireless message received here at 10:50 p. m. There are 1,200 passengers aboard, and 860 men who work the ship.

The wireless operator of the Titanic, in a message received here half an hour earlier, told of the ship having collided with the berg and being damaged, and asked for immediate assistance. The next message also was a call for immediate assistance. The operator declared the ship was sinking rapidly by the head, and that the women were being lowered into lifeboats. The weather, he said, was fair and warm.

Sister Ships to Rescue.

The Marconi station at Cape Race notified the Allen liner Virginian, the captain of which advised that he was proceeding for the scene of the disaster. The Virginian at midnight was 170 miles distant from the Titanic and expected to reach that vessel by 10 o'clock in the morning.

The Olympic at an early hour was in communication with the Titanic and making all possible haste toward her.

The steamship Baltic also reported herself as about 200 miles east of the Titanic and was hastening toward her.

The last signals from the Titanic were heard by the Virginian at 12:27 a. m. The wireless operator said the signals were blurred and ended abruptly.

Many Ships Within Call.

One assuring feature of the accident to the Titanic is that a large number of ships appear to be within the big liner's call. Besides the Virginia of the Allan line which appears to have been the first to have heard of the Titanic's distress and the White Star liners the Baltic and Olympic both of which were reported on the way to the scene, there is also the Cincinnati of the Hamburg-American line, the Cunard liner Mauretania, the Hamburg-American liner Prinz Adelbert and the Amerika of the same line and the North German Lloyd liner, the Prinz Frederick Wilhelm bound from New York to Plymouth, all of which and many smaller liners are shown on the day's steamship chart as probably within the zone of wireless communication with the Titanic.

Hard to Credit Story.

New York, April 15.—T. A. S. Franklin, vice president of the International Mercantile Marine company, said it was difficult to credit the report that the Titanic had met with an accident as the White Star Line had received no wireless message from her.

READS LIKE FAIRYLAND TALE

Traveling Salesman Finds Note From Long Lost Sister in Tobacco Package.

Peabody, Kan., April 15.—Ed. Maloney, a traveling salesman, has just found his sister, from whom he was separated 35 years ago when both were children, by means of an address found in a package of tobacco. Maloney bought a package of tobacco here, in which was a note. The writer, an employe in a factory in North Carolina, desired information about her brother, Ed. Maloney, who she had not heard from for many years. The note was signed Mayme Maloney. Maloney decided it was his sister and wrote to her. He received a reply which convinced him and has sent for his sister to come West and make her home with him.

TRIED TO FORD SWOLLEN STREAM

Two Oklahomans Riding One Horse Caught by Swift Running Current.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 15.—Noel Anderson and Harley McDuffey were drowned in Ganies creek near Cambria, Ok. The men left home in the morning, both on one horse. The horse returned home riderless later in the day. The bodies of the men were found a half mile below where they had tried to ford the stream. The stream has been at flood stage for some time and the current at the ford was very swift.

Uncle of Champ Clark Killed.

Whitesburg, Ky., April 15.—Morgan Clark, 90 years old, an uncle of Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, was killed on his place near here. He was felling a tree in the woods when it fell on him. He had probably more relatives than any other man in Eastern Kentucky.

COLONIAL DRAPERY FABRICS

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

BRENLIN WINDOW SHADES

A Complete Showing of Reliable Floor Coverings and Draperies at Alderman's

When the need of new floor coverings and draperies arises, the ability of this store to supply worthy qualities and reliable values should be remembered. Rugs, carpets, linoleums and draperies of all kinds are shown in our big daylight basement salesroom in complete assortments capable of filling every want satisfactorily.

A careful investigation and comparison of our stock will convince you that, quality for quality, our values are always equal, and in a great many cases actually lower, than those quoted by other stores or in catalogs. Buying direct from the greatest mills in sufficient quantities to get the lowest prices, we are enabled to sell all qualities of floor coverings and draperies at prices which set a new standard of value giving.

New Patterns in Room Size Rugs

Wilton, Axminster, Velvet and Tapestry Brussels rugs, in a wide range of new patterns, and in assorted sizes, are carried in our rug section.

Wilton Rugs

The newest oriental and persian designs are shown in the Wilton rugs. Wilton designs are superior to any other. They are the longest wearing and most attractive rugs made. Their quality more than makes up the slight difference in price.

Size 9 by 12, priced from $30 to $40
Size 8-3 by 10-6, priced from $27 to $35.
Size 10-6 by 10-6, priced at $50.

Sizes not carried in stock can be obtained in a very short time.

Axminster Rugs

The new floral, oriental and persian designs in Axminster rugs are very attractive. The Rugs are well made of the best possible materials. Best qualities and values at each price.

Size 12 by 13-6, seamed, priced at $35.
Size 11-3 by 12, seamed, priced from $25 to $30.
Size 9 by 12 seamed, priced from $19 to $27.50.
Size 8-3 by 10-6, seamed, priced from $16 to $18.

The Axminster rugs made by the American Oriental Mills are in true oriental patterns, being designed from the best types of genuine orientals. They come in two sizes—

Size 9 by 10, seamless, price $20.
Size 9 by 12, seamless, price $25.

Velvet and Tapestry Brussels Rugs

The mills have reduced their prices on Velvet and Tapestry Brussels Rugs and, consequently, our prices will be found to be lower than in former seasons. Although the prices have been lowered the quality has been maintained and the rugs can be depended upon to give good wear.

Size 11-3 by 12, priced from $18 to $22.50.
Size 9 by 12, priced from $10 to $19.
Size 8-3 by 10-6, priced from $9 to $12.50.
Size 6 by 9, priced at $5.

Ingrain Rugs

New oriental patterns have been added to Ingrain rugs and it is now possible to secure both oriental and floral effects.

Size 9 by 12, all wool, $9.
Size 9 by 12, cotton chain, $5.

Straw Matting Rugs

A new way to buy mattings—made in rugs, with stenciled medallion designs. Size 9 by 12, price $3.75.

WOVEN MATTING RUGS especially suitable for bed rooms.

Size 9 by 12, price $5.
Size 9 by 9, price $4.25.

Japan Fiber Rugs

Cottage fiber rugs, imported from Japan, made especially for dining and sitting rooms, eight different designs to choose from, size 9 by 12, price $10.

Linoleums

Linoleums, in the best patterns and best grades, are shown in three different qualities at three prices, 50c, 60c and 70c a square yard; three widths, 6, 7½ and 12 feet.

INLAID LINOLEUMS are the best for wear, as the colors go to the back. We carry a number of very desirable patterns and guarantee the qualities to be the best.

Attractive Draperies For All Purposes

We have prepared for the biggest drapery season in our history by assembling the most complete stock we have ever had. All materials, qualities and grades, very moderately priced.

Plain and fancy Scrims, priced from 15c to 50c a yard.

Nets in white, cream and Arabian colors, are very much in demand. They give a welcome change from lace curtains, 45-inch Nets, priced from 20c to 40c a yard; 48 inch Nets, priced from 35c to $1.50 a yard.

Cretonnes are superior to any material for making dainty bedroom draperies, bed sets, pillow coverings, etc. In many cases it is possible to match the designs in wall paper. Priced from 20c to 35c a yard.

Lace Curtains

Each year sees an improvement in the making of Lace Curtains. This season the designs are more attractive than ever.

Curtains for every purpose will be found in the Lace Curtain Section.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from 75c to $4.50 a pair.

Irish Point Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $4 to $9 a pair.

Brussels Net Curtains, white only, priced from $5 to $9 a pair.

Novelty Curtains, white and Arabian, priced from $2.50 to $5 a pair.

Cluny Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $3.75 to $10 a pair.

Filet Net Lace Curtains, white, ivory and Arabian, priced from $3.50 to $10 a pair.

Window Shades

We carry the best quality of hand made shades and make them to order in any size in our own workroom. If desired we will fit new cloth to the old rollers. We use only the best materials and guarantee satisfaction.

BRENLIN shades are the best shades made. They have no filling to fall out, will not crack or streak. Although they cost slightly more than the ordinary shade they will wear longer and look better. The price of Brenlin shades have been reduced this season. Ask to see the Brenlin cloth—then you will understand why Brenlin wear so long and so well.

We carry the best factory made shades in all colors, in both oil and water color finish. Fitted on the best rollers—36 inch by 7 ft. 50c. 36 inch by 7 ft. 35c. 36 inch by 6 ft. 25c

Complete Stock of Brass Rods and Window Fixtures

Wall Paper

Our complete line of cheap, medium and high priced wall paper is ready for your inspection. The products from the best wall paper mills are included in our display.

We call particular attention to the Birge wall papers, conceded to be the most artistic and beautiful wall papers made in America. We are the exclusive representatives of the Birge mills in Maryville.

Made-to-order Rugs

We make rugs to order in any size. For odd sized rooms or where it is necessary to cover all of the floor these made-to-order rugs solve the problem. Rugs made of Axminster carpets, priced from $1 to $1.25 a yard; from Velvet carpets, priced from $1 to $1.25 a yard and from Wilton carpets, priced at $1.50 a yard, with or without borders.

We are also prepared to get carpets of special designs or in unusual colorings on short notice.

HALL AND STAIR CARPETS, a very complete showing, attractive patterns, priced from 75c to $1.25 a yard.

We show the best qualities and best values in all wool and cotton chain Ingrain carpets, cottage carpets, straw mattings and fiber carpets.

Before buying wire cloth for window, porch or door screens, come in and let us show you something new—a wonderful, long-wearing *wire screen* that is dust-proof—a screen that is best to look through because you can hardly see it—a screen that *lasts.*

"Pearl" Wire Cloth

For Door, Window and Porch Screens

Made of selected steel wire of wonderful hardness and protected by a pearl colored metallic finish used only on Pearl Wire Cloth. It lasts many times longer than the best painted screen in existence.

Smooth—clean—and it *stays* that way. Dirt and dust *can't* settle on it. The most sanitary as well as the most durable.

And the most economical because it *lasts longest.*

Pearl Wire Cloth is desirable every way. It's identified by two copper wires in each selvage. *It's here. Come in and ask us to clip you a free sample.*

HUDSON & WELCH

North Side Hardware Men

POULTRY CARDS

One inch card in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

S. C. WHITE ORPINGTONS

The triumph of scientific breeding. Best layers—best for table use. My flock originated from the best in the United States—Owen farm. Two firsts and 1 second prize Northwest Mo. Poultry Ass'n. show, Maryville, 1911. Eggs for hatching at bargain prices, exhibition pen $4, utility $2 per 15 eggs. Reference, Maryville National Bank. Bell phone 378. O. A. DODGE, 1010 N. Fillmore St., Maryville, Mo.

"SUNNY SIDE" WHITE ROCKS

Eggs from pen $2.00 per 15. Range flock $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Flock and pen not related. MRS. CLAUDE MOORE, R. F. D. 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers' phone 30-14.

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS

EGGS FOR HATCHING

15 for 60c, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. ELMER YOUNG, Farmers' phone. Bedison, Mo.

Eggs for Setting—Orpingtons Fine, Large, Healthy

Farm raised birds, the quality that wins. Having tested the strength and fertility of eggs, can guarantee results.

Single Comb Buffs, $1 per setting, or $6 per 100.

Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or $12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, $3 per setting.

MRS. HENRY MOORE, Ridgeview Farm, R. 6. Telephone No. 25-16 on Farmers.

EGGS FOR SALE
Single Comb R. I. Reds

High scoring. $1 per setting of 15. $4.50 per hundred. MRS. HENRY SMOCK, Maryville, Mo., R. F. D. 3, Farmers' phone 13-22.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS FOR SETTING

75 cents for 15. $4 per hundred. MRS. S. W. SCOTT, Maryville, Mo. Route 6. Farmers' phone 25-14.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS
Eggs for Setting

60 cents per setting, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. JOHN ANDERSON, 406 S. Mulberry St., Maryville. Farmers' phone 36-12.

Choice Buff Wyandotte

Eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 15 from first pen, containing birds scoring as high as 94¼, headed by a prize winning cockerel. Eggs from second pen $1.50 per 15. Eggs from both of these pens, as they run, $2.00 per 15. W. H. CRAWFORD & SON.

THOROUGHBRED BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS

5 cockerels—some hens. Eggs 6c per setting of 15. None but nice, large, fresh eggs. Special prices on large quantities or incubator lots. Delivered to any store in Maryville. MRS. JOHN HALASEY, Maryville, Mo., R.F. D. 2, Farmers phone 11-19

Orpingtons—Crystal White and Buff. Eggs for Hatching

and baby chicks for sale from prize winning, vigorous stock. These large breeds are noted for their meat and egg laying qualities. Prices low. JOHN E. CAMERON, Poultry Yards, 409 West 9th St., Hanamo 217 Red.

R. C. RHODE ISLAND RED

Eggs for sale, winning first on pen at King City and Guilford, second and third at Maryville poultry shows, fall of 1911; winning fourteen regular prizes from the three places on two pens, pen No. 1 scoring 91¼ to 93¾. $1.50 per setting. Utility pen, 75c per setting; $4.00 per hundred. MRS. JOE THOMPSON. Guilford, Mo.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS
"The Kind That Stay White"

Took 14 premiums at poultry show in Clarinda, Iowa, in December, 1911. Eggs from best matings $1.50 for 15. Booking orders now. G. L. GILLESPIE, Clarinda, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, breeder of S. C. Brown Leghorns. My yard contains first prize winners from some of the biggest shows in Missouri. Eggs, $1.00 per setting, or $5.00 per 100. Baby chicks, $15.00 per 100. Will have a few settings of M. B. Turkey eggs at $2.00 per setting. Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, phone 40-20.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS

Large birds, standard weight or better. Pure white plumage. My winnings at N. W. Mo. P. A. show against strong competition should convince you that I have quality stock. $1 per 15 for eggs, $5 per 100. 710 South Walnut St. Hanamo 136 Red. O. A. BENNETT.

GIVES MEXICO FAIR WARNING

America Demands Humane Treatment From Both Sides.

LANGUAGE USED UNMISTAKABLE

Though Declining to Justify Participation of Americans State Department Insists on Obedience to Rules of War.

Washington, April 15.—Warning was issued by the United States to the Mexican government, as well as to General Pascual Orozco, chief of the revolutionary forces, that "it expects and must demand that the American life and property within the Republic of Mexico be justly and adequately protected, and that this government must hold Mexico and the Mexican people responsible for all wanton or illegal acts sacrificing or endangering American life or damaging American property or interests."

The attitude of the United States as expressed to both the federal and rebel authorities is that any maltreatment of American citizens "will be deeply resented by the American government and people, and must be fully answered for by the Mexican people."

Wilson Issues Instructions.

Huntington Wilson, acting secretary of the state department, issued special instructions to Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson at the City of Mexico, and Marion Letcher, American consul at Chihuahua.

Ambassador Wilson was ordered to communicate at once the views of the United States to the Mexican minister for foreign affairs and a copy of his instructions was likewise sent to Letcher at Chihuahua, with special representations addressed to General Orozco.

Orozco recently refused to recognize Letcher as the American consular representative, because the United States withheld recognition of the rebel cause.

Must Obey Rules.

Though declining to justify participation of Americans on either side the United States expressly stipulates that American combatants when taken prisoner must be given humane treatment in accordance with the international rules of war.

The correspondence just made public is admittedly the strongest demand the United States is known to have made upon Mexico for respectful treatment of Americans, as well as other foreigners, and decares that a continuation of illegal acts is tending "to difficulties and obligations which it is to the interests of all true Mexican patriots, as it is the desire of the United States, to avoid."

Heberlein Released.

El Paso, Tex., April 15.—C. A. Heberlein of Los Angeles, Cal., mining engineer, who was imprisoned at Jiminez, Mex., as a spy by order of General Pascqual Orozco, reached El Paso at night. Heberlein was released Thursday and was in Chihuahua until the present time.

SNOW AND WIND HIT COLORADO

Storm Swept Entire State and Part of Wyoming, Doing Thousands of Dollars' Damage.

Denver, April 15.—Reports from all sections of Colorado and from Southeastern Wyoming tell of the havoc wrought by the storm which swept both states all day. In most of Colorado the storm was confined to a heavy wind which in some places approached the velocity of 70 miles an hour. In the mountain sections along the western slope of the Rockies, however, a blinding snowfall accompanied the wind.

In Denver the damage was confined to demolished sign boards and awnings and broken windows. Thousands of dollars damage was done.

Telegraph and telephone wires are down all over the mountain country, seriously affecting the railway and telegraph companies. The telegraph companies also reported trouble throughout Western Nebraska.

CLAIMS SITE OF OKLAHOMA PEN

State Has Spent Million for Buildings and Now Must Fight for Title.

McAlester, Ok., April 15.—According to attorneys for James Brazell, a wealthy lumberman, the state of Oklahoma has no title to 60 acres of land adjoining this city on which it has expended a million dollars for a penitentiary. The citizens of McAlester were to give the land. A committee contracted to buy it from Brazell within three years for $3,000. They never procured the deed and the three years expired last October. The land is said now to be worth $15,000 and Brazell will bring suit.

Cleanup for Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Kan., April 15.—Pittsburg is to have a clean-up day April 17. The city administration, the city federation of clubs and the Pittsburg Home Improvement society will cooperate. A picnic will be given the children of the city who clean up the back yards

VI-KYNIN W. KOO

Vi-Kynin Wellington Koo, a young Chinaman, who won honors at Columbia university, has started for China to take up the duties of secretary to President Yuan Shi Kai.

THOUGHT HE HAD "MONA LISA"

J. P. MORGAN MOBBED BY ANGRY CROWD IN ITALY.

American Financier, Thought to Have Famous Painting Stolen From Paris Louvre, Had to Fight.

Florence, Italy, April 15.—J. Pierpont Morgan, the American financier, and his sister, Mrs. Mary Lyman Burns, were mobbed by hundreds of angry Florentines at the railway station when they sought to leave.

The crowd believed that a picture bought here by Morgan might be the famous Mona Lisa stolen from the Paris Louvre some time ago.

For several days secret service men have been dogging Morgan, prompted by newspaper articles which said the American millionaire was bargaining with secret emissaries for the famous Paris painting. The Florence papers had printed bitter attacks upon "Rich Americans who make art mercenary."

The volatile Florentines, aroused by these attacks, determined that if the famous painting was in Florence it should not be taken away by Morgan. When Morgan and his sister started to leave here they had in their baggage a painting bought here. That picture was believed to be the stolen masterpiece.

At the railway station the crowd closed in about them and they were unable to enter the station. Glaring about him the American financier started through the crowd and striking right and left, scattered the angry people before him.

But he had forgotten his sister, and the crowd, closing in behind him surrounded her. The few police on duty at the station, aided by the secret service men, made an ineffectual attempt to rescue her from the crowd. Finally Morgan fought his way back and taking her arm almost carried her to the train.

MISSOURI NEGROES DECREASING

Report of State Board of Health Shows Deaths in One Month Exceed Births by Ninety.

Jefferson City, April 15.—The report of Frank B. Hiller, state registrar, and secretary of the state board of health, just issued, shows that 90 more negroes died during the month than were born, although the complete list of births may not have been forwarded.

This adds strength to the belief that the negroes of Missouri are decreasing steadily and that this has been going on for the last decade. William P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, in his annual report comments on the fact that the number of negro children of school age has been decreasing in the last ten years.

Tuberculosis shows a heavier mortality among negroes than whites. Of all deaths which occurred among them 12.21 per cent were from tuberculosis, while the average for the state for this disease is but 10.68 per cent.

For the Welfare of Texas.

Houston, Tex., April 15.—The Texas welfare commission met here today for the purpose of receiving articles and hearing addresses bearing on the matters which it is investigating. The commission is composed of 15 citizens who have been selected to sit throughout the year to study industrial and economic conditions in Texas, to investigate complaints that the businesses of the state are not producing satisfactory profits and to ascertain whether the welfare of the state requires the amendment of the laws. R. C. Duff of Houston is the chairman of the commission.

Clark Gains in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., April 15.—Champ Clark continued to make gains in the democratic county conventions and his managers now claim 361½ votes in the Burlington convention to 169½ for Woodrow Wilson, with 22 doubtful or contested.

Next Week (begins Saturday) is Little Polly Week

Free Dust Caps for you at your Grocers

Here is the name that tells you how to know a good broom, and a *good* broom is worth knowing—not only because it saves you money, but because it saves work — and what work is harder than sweeping?

Easy sweeping and clean floors are the rule where

The LITTLE POLLY Broom

holds sway. Happy faces prevail where it is used and the aches that follow sweeping day are conspicuous by their absence.

The Little Polly Broom is a triumph in broom-making. It is a lighter broom with twice the service in it.

If not at your grocer's, send us money order for 60 cents—the regular retail price, for a Little Polly Broom, prepaid.

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RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO NATURAL COLOR

By Common Garden Sage a Simple Remedy for Dandruff, Falling, Faded, Gray Hair.

The old idea of using Sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers had dark, glossy hair at seventy-five, while our mothers are gray before they are fifty. Our grandmothers kept their hair soft and glossy with a "Sage Tea," which also restored the natural color.

One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it. This objection has been overcome by the Wyeth Chemical Company of New York, who has placed on the market a superior preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp, and thin, weak, falling hair.

The beauty of the hair depends more on its rich, even shading than anything else. Don't have dry, harsh faded hair, when a simple, harmless remedy will bring back the color in a few days; and don't be tormented with dandruff, itching scalp and loose, falling hairs. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy will quickly correct these troubles, and give color, strength and beauty to your hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and prove this to your own satisfaction. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

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Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR RENT—Rooms with board. Mrs. Charles Myers, 322 South Main. Bell phone. 13-18

FOR RENT—Nice big upstairs room for light housekeeping, close in. Mrs. Marion F. Smith, 215 West Fifth street. Bell phone 193. 15-17

FOR RENT—Furnished house, good location. Inquire Glover & Alexander, at feed store, South Market. 15-17

FOR RENT—4-room cottage in good repair; two lots. See Truman Lloyd, 103 North Buchanan. 13-16

SEED OATS FOR SALE—Regenerated Swedish Select. C. D. Leffler. 13-16

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR RENT—Two good front rooms over 216-218 Main street. Jim Andy Ford. 9-15

FOR SALE OR TRADE—White Steamer automobile, almost new, for western land, town property, live stock. See J. D. Frank or address F. L. Mawhinney, Blanchard, Ia. 15-17

FOR SALE—Senator Dunlap strawberry plants at South side meat market. C. M. Hartness, Hanamo 161, Bell 24. 15-20

FOR SALE QUICK—Improved 15 acres, two miles from Maryville, only $2,000.00.

Absracts of title, loans and insurance. R. L. McDougal.

OATS FOR SALE—75 to 100 bushels Swedish select seed oats at 75c per bushel at farm, 3 miles east of town. Farmers and Bell phones in city residence. Elmer Fraser. 4-tf

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We Never Sleep.
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First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402. 115½ South Main street.
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Painting and Paperhanging.
Full line samples 1912 papers. Can save you money. Paperhanging 10c per roll up, according to style of hanging. At residence 627 West Second.

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